



STANDING COMMITTEE ON ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER AFFAIRS

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**Inquiry into community stores in remote
Aboriginal and Torres Strait communities**

Public hearing: Monday, 30 March 2009

Thursday Island

Venue: Torres Strait Regional Authority, Level 1 Torres Strait Haus, 46 Victoria Parade

Program

Time	Witness
1.00 pm	Torres Strait Regional Authority • Mr Toshie (John) Kris, Chairperson • Mr Wayne See Kee, General Manger
1.45 pm	Torres Strait Island Regional Council • Mr Fred Gela, Mayor • Mr John Scarce, Chief Executive Officer
2.30 pm	Torres Shire Council • Mr Napau Pedro Stephen, Mayor • Mr Bernie McCarthy, Chief Executive Officer
3.15 pm	<i>Break</i>
3.30 pm	Islanders Board of Industry & Service (IBIS) • Mr Richard Bowler, Chief Executive Officer
4.00 pm	Sea Swift • Mr Fred White, Chief Executive Officer • Mr Michael Parry, Sales Manager
4.30 pm	Australian Quarantine Inspection Service • Mr Danny Mosby, Quarantine Officer Thursday Island
5.00 pm	Open forum This is an opportunity to express your views to the Committee about remote community stores.
6.00 pm	<i>Close</i>