

**SENATE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS REFERENCES COMMITTEE**

**PUBLIC HEARING PROGRAM**

**WEDNESDAY, 24 MARCH 2010**

**House of Representatives Committee Room 2R1, Parliament House, Canberra**

**INQUIRY INTO SUICIDE IN AUSTRALIA**

**1.30 pm - 2.10 pm Australian College of Mental Health Nurses (Sub 210)**

Ms Kim Ryan, Chief Executive Officer

Ms Anne Buck, Policy Officer

**2.10 pm - 2.50 pm Rural Doctors Association of Australia (Sub 204)**

Mr Steve Sant, Chief Executive Officer

Ms Libby Davies, Senior Policy Officer

**2.50 pm - 3.30 pm Australian Institute of Family Studies (Sub 80)**

Professor Alan Hayes, Director

Ms Elly Robinson, Research Fellow

**3.30 pm - 3.40 pm *Break***

**3.40 pm - 4.20 pm COTA National (Sub 96)**

Mr Ian Yates, Chief Executive Officer

Ms Jo Root, National Policy Officer

**4.20 pm - 5.00 pm SANE Australia (Sub 97)**

Ms Barbara Hocking, Chief Executive Officer