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**Inquiry into aspects of bank mergers  
(before morning tea)/  
Inquiry into foreign investment by state-owned  
entities (after morning tea)**

**Date** Wednesday 1 July 2009  
**Start** 9.45am  
**Venue** Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre  
**Address** Corner Merivale & Glenelg Street, Brisbane

<b>9.45–10.30am</b>	<b>Bank of Queensland</b> Mr Ram Kangatharan, Group Executive and Chief Financial Officer
<i>10.30–10.45am</i>	<i>Morning tea</i>
<b>10.45–11.30am</b>	<b>Farmers from the Liverpool Plains</b> (No submission) Mr John Lyle Mr Michael Clift Mr Andrew Higgins
<b>11.30–12.15pm</b>	<b>Panel of public submitters</b> Mr John Butler (Submission 9) Mr William Edwards (Submission 28)
<i>12.15–1.15pm</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
<b>1.15–2.00pm</b>	<b>Professor Peter Drysdale, ANU</b> (Submission 40)
<b>2.00–2.45pm</b>	<b>Rio Tinto</b> (Submission 47) Mr Stephen Creese, Managing Director Mr Doug Ritchie, Managing Director, Strategy
<i>2.45–3.00</i>	<i>Adjournment</i>