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Inquiry into the Trade Practices Amendment (Australian Consumer Law) Bill 2009

Date Friday 21 August 2009

Start 8.30 am

Venue Committee Room 2S1, Parliament House

8.30am-9.15am	Treasury Dr Steven Kennedy, General Manager, Consumer Policy Framework Unit Mr Simon Writer, Manager, Competition and Consumer Policy Division
9.15am-10.00am	Pharmacy Guild of Australia (sub 42)
10.00am–10.15am	Morning tea
10.15am-11.00am	Motor Trades Association of Australia (sub 15) Mr Michael Delaney, Executive Director Ms Sue Scanlan, Deputy Executive Director Mr Ron Bowden, Chief Executive Officer, Service Station Association Ltd
11.00am-11.45am	ABACUS—Australian Mutuals (sub 33) Mr Mark Degotardi, Head of Public Affairs Mr Matt Gijselman, Senior Adviser, Policy & Public Affairs
11.45am-12.30pm	Law Council of Australia, Trade Practices Committee (sub 47) Mr Dave Poddar Partner, Mallesons Stephen Jacques Ms Amanda Bodger Partner, Mallesons Stephen Jacques Mr Stephen Ridgeway, Partner, Blake Dawson
12.30pm-1.30pm	Lunch
1.30pm-2.15pm	National Legal Aid (sub 52) Ms Elizabeth Shearer, Director, Client Information, Advice & Civil Justice Services, Legal Aid Queensland Ms Monique Hitter, Director, Civil Law Legal Aid New South Wales (LANSW) Mr David Coorey, Solicitor, Civil Litigation Legal Aid New South Wales (LANSW)
2.15pm-3.00pm	Unit Owners' and Body Corporate Alliance (sub 8) Mr Colin Lamont, Chairman
3.00pm-3.15pm	Afternoon tea

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3.15pm-4.15pm	Treasury
4.15pm	Adjournment