



# MEDIA ADVISORY

5 October 2021

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**Legislative Council Sessional Committee  
Government Administration 'A'  
Sub-Committee Inquiry into  
RURAL HEALTH SERVICES IN TASMANIA**

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The Legislative Council Government Administration 'A' Sub-Committee inquiring into Rural Health Services in Tasmania will continue its public hearings in Hobart on **Thursday, 7 October 2021 and Friday, 8 October 2021**.

**The hearings will be held in Committee Room 2, Parliament House Hobart and will commence on Thursday at 9.00 am.** The hearings will also be broadcast via the Parliamentary Broadcast Service.

**TIMETABLE FOR THE HEARINGS AND DETAILS OF THE WITNESSES ARE ATTACHED.**

Members of the Sub-Committee are:

Hon Nick Duigan MLC  
Hon Ruth Forrest MLC (Inquiry Chair)  
Hon Mike Gaffney MLC  
Hon Sarah Lovell MLC  
Hon Dr Bastian Seidel MLC (Inquiry Deputy Chair)

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FURTHER INFORMATION:

Chairperson: Hon Ruth Forrest MLC    Ph: 0419 879 524

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**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

**Thursday, 7 October 2021**

**Venue:** Committee Room No. 2, Parliament House, Hobart

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| <b>9.00 am – 9.45 am</b>   | <b>AMA TASMANIA (Webex and CR2)</b><br><i>Dr Helen McArdle, President</i><br><i>Dr John Saul, Vice President</i><br><i>(Submission No. 52)</i> |
| <b>9.50 am – 10.35 am</b>  | <b>PGOA TASMANIA</b><br><i>Monique Mackrill, PGOATAS</i><br><i>Belinda Bird, Pharmacist</i><br><i>(Submission No. 42)</i>                      |
| <b>10.50 am – 11.30 am</b> | <b>DR ALEX WODAK (Webex)</b><br><i>(Submission No. 70)</i>   |
| <b>11.30 am – 12.10 pm</b> | <b>TCCI/TSBC</b><br><i>Michael Bailey, TCCI</i><br><i>Robert Mallet, TSBC</i><br><i>(Submission No. 69)</i>                                    |
| <b>12.10 pm – 1.10 pm</b>  | <b>LUNCH</b>   |
| <b>1.10 pm – 1.40 pm</b>   | <b>JENNIFER HADAWAY</b><br><i>(Submission No. 50)</i>  |
| <b>1.40 pm – 2.30 pm</b>   | <b>RAY BANGE OAM (Webex)</b><br><i>(Submission No. 54)</i>   |

**FRIDAY, 8 OCTOBER 2021**

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| <b>9.00 am – 9.40 am</b>  | <b>AUSTRALIAN COLLEGE OF PARAMEDIC PRACTITIONERS</b><br><i>Andrew McDonnell, President (Webex)</i><br><i>Emma Thornley, Paramedic</i><br><i>(Submission No. 34)</i> |
| <b>9.45 am – 10.30 am</b> | <b>GENERAL PRACTICE TRAINING TASMANIA</b><br><i>Judy Dew, CEO</i><br><i>(Submission No. 37)</i>   |

<b>10.40 am – 11.20 am</b>	<b>CRANAplus</b> <i>Katie Pennington</i> <i>(Submission No. 27)</i>
<b>11.20 am – 11.40 am</b>	<b>SONYA WILLIAMS</b> <i>(Submission No. 12)</i>
<b>11.40 am – 12.00 pm</b>	<b>SHANE JOHNSON</b> <i>(Submission No. 28)</i>