



**Standing Committee on Broadband in Rural and Regional Communities**  
**Public Hearing Schedule**  
**Monday 23 June 2008**  
**Jubilee Room**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>	<b>Organisation</b>
<b>9.15</b>	<b>Deliberative meeting</b>	
9:30	Mr Alan Brown, Vice President and Chair of the Rural Affairs Committee  Ms Brianna Casey, Senior Policy Officer  Mr Richard Widows, Policy Officer, Rural Affairs	NSW Farmers' Association
10:30	Mr Jim Breen, Director Infrastructure Services	Department of Education and Training
<b>11:00</b>	<b>Morning tea</b>	
11:15	Mr Colin Griffiths, General Manager, Strategy Department of Commerce  Mr Todd Clewett Director of Innovation Department of State and Regional Development	Department of Commerce Department of State and Regional Development (NSW Broadband Advisory Panel)
12:15	Mr Craig Smith, Deputy Chief Information Officer/Director Strategic Initiative	Department of Health
<b>1:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:30	Mr Dean Smith, General Manager, Government Relations	OPTUS
2:00	Ms Lynda Summers, Chair, Regional Communities Consultative Council  Ms Fran Schonberg, Manager, Office of Rural Affairs	Regional Communities Consultative Council and Office of Rural Affairs
2:30	Mr Brett Riley, Executive Director, CountryWide  Ms Lucy Wicks, Corporate Affairs Manager NSW/ACT  Mr Paul Mitchell, Group Manager, NSW Government	Telstra Corporation