



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

STANDING COMMITTEE ON STATE DEVELOPMENT

# Notice of Public Hearing

## Inquiry into Skills Shortages in Rural and Regional NSW

**Thursday 24 November 2005**

Council Chambers  
Bathurst Regional Council  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor, cnr Russell and Williams Streets, Bathurst

| TIME          | WITNESSES   |
|---------------|---|
| 9:30 – 10:00  | <b>Mr Ben Bardon</b><br>General Manager, Central West Group Apprentices Ltd   |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | <b>Mr Jeff Hort</b><br>Chief Executive Officer, Jeff Hort Engineering   |
| 10:30 – 11:15 | <b>Mr Tony Boland</b><br>Industry and Skills Project Manager, Orange Cabonne Blayney Industry and Skills Project<br><br><b>Ms Sharon Rabey</b><br>Project Assistant, Central West Regional Development Board<br><br><b>Ms Sharon Bentick</b><br>Executive Officer, Central West Area Consultative Committee |
| 11:15 – 11:30 | <b>Morning Tea</b>  |
| 11:30 - 12:00 | <b>Dr Jock Fletcher</b><br>Council Member, Regional Communities Consultative Council  |
| 12:00 - 12:30 | <b>Mr Tom Murphy</b><br>Chief Executive Officer, Western Research Institute, Charles Sturt University   |
| 12:30 – 1:00  | <b>Mr John Lamberton</b><br>Training Coordinator, Masterfoods Australia New Zealand Petcare   |
| 1:00 - 2:00   | <b>Lunch</b>  |
| 2:00 – 4:00   | <b>Forum</b>  |

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