



CTP Roundtable

Parliament House

Macquarie Room

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PROGRAM

The NSW Government's Compulsory Third Party (CTP) Roundtable brings key stakeholder groups together to discuss the CTP reforms. These important reforms are aimed at making the CTP Scheme fairer for motor accident victims and more affordable for motorists, and the Government is committed to achieving these objectives.

The Government recognises that a number of stakeholders remain concerned about particular aspects of the reforms, and will use today's roundtable to hear and understand stakeholder views, including the issues that have influenced proposed amendments to the *Motor Accident Injuries Amendment Bill 2013*.

Your comments are important and your contribution to the roundtable will assist the Government in its consideration of any changes to the Bill.

The event will be chaired by Mr Paul McClintock AO, who brings considerable high level public policy and private sector experience to the role, and facilitated by Mr Peter Thompson, broadcaster, educator and author.



Agenda

Time	Topic
9.45	Registration and coffee
10.15	Introduction and welcome from the Chair, Mr Paul McClintock AO
10.25	Welcome from the Minister for Ageing and Disability Services, The Hon. Andrew Constance MP
10.30	CTP issues paper <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr Michael Coutts-Trotter, Director General, Department of Finance and Services, and Chair of the Steering Committee for the CTP consultation process: Introductory remarks• <i>Discussion among roundtable participants</i>
11.20	Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• John Walsh AM, Associate Commissioner for the Productivity Commission Report on Disability Care and Support: Best practice in injury and disability insurance• <i>General discussion</i>
12.00	Panel 1: CTP prices and profit <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Panel discussion</i>• <i>General discussion</i>
1.00	Lunch
1.40	Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms Margaret Prendergast, General Manager, Centre for Road Safety: road safety trends• <i>General discussion</i>• Professor Ian Cameron, Rehabilitation Medicine, University of Sydney: what helps injured people recover and research on how they experience the CTP Scheme• <i>General discussion</i>
2.25	Panel 2: CTP Scheme coverage and benefits <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Panel discussion</i>• <i>General discussion</i>
3.25	Tea break
3.40	Panel 3: Claimant experience and dispute resolution <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Panel discussion</i>• <i>General discussion</i>
4.40	General discussion and Chair's summing up
5.10	Close

Speaker biographies

Chair

Paul McClintock AO



Paul McClintock is Chairman of Myer Holdings Limited, Thales Australia, I-MED Network and the Institute of Virology. He is also a Director of St Vincent's Health Australia Limited. From July 2000 to March 2003 he served as Cabinet Secretary in the Commonwealth Government with responsibility for supervising Cabinet processes and acting as the Prime Minister's most senior personal adviser on strategic directions in policy formulation.

Paul's former positions include Chairman of Medibank Private Limited, the COAG Reform Council, the Expert Panel of the Low Emissions Technology Demonstration Fund, Intoll Management Limited, Symbion Health, Affinity Health, Ashton Mining, Plutonic Resources and the Woolcock Institute of Medical Research.

Facilitator

Peter Thompson



Peter Thompson is a broadcaster, educator and author. He presented ABC TV's Talking Heads – a program about the lives of prominent Australians – for six seasons. Previously, he was the voice of ABC Radio's AM and Radio National Breakfast, for fourteen years.

Peter is a Fellow of the Australia and New Zealand School of Government where he teaches executive programs in communication. He is Director of the Centre for Leadership, which offers communication advice to organisations.

Keynote speaker

John Walsh AM

John Walsh is a Partner in the consulting practice of PricewaterhouseCoopers, where he has worked for over twenty years. Over the years he has contributed to the development of general insurance, accident compensation and health expertise for the Institute of Actuaries of Australia, and, in 2001, he was named Australia's Actuary of the Year. In 2011, John was appointed a Member of the Order of Australia, and received the Prime Minister's award for outstanding contribution to the disability sector. Also, in 2011, John was made Deputy-Chair of the National Health Performance Authority.



In the area of disability in the 1990s, John worked closely with the Department of Family, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs in establishing the definition and cost of disability, and interactions with accident compensation. He has also advised the NSW Government on future demand and funding requirements for disability services, homelessness services and Aboriginal disadvantage, and helped establish the Lifetime Care and Support Scheme. He was a member of the Disability Investment Group established in 2008 to study options for increasing the investment opportunities in the disability sector, and in 2010 was appointed to the Productivity Commission to investigate the feasibility of a National Disability Insurance Scheme and other options to fund lifetime care and support for people with a disability. He has recently accepted an appointment to the national board of Disability Care Australia.



Keynote speaker

Margaret Prendergast

Margaret Prendergast is the General Manager, NSW Centre for Road Safety, Transport for NSW. Margaret has qualifications in economics and town planning with over 25 years' experience in data analysis, transport planning, safety, project management and the delivery of capital programs, operational initiatives and events. Prior to joining Centre for Road Safety Margaret worked at Railcorp and the Olympic Roads and Transport Authority.



Keynote speaker

Professor Ian Cameron

Ian Cameron is a Rehabilitation Physician who provides treatment for injured people. He is also a researcher in the areas of rehabilitation and disability. At the University of Sydney he is a Professor of Medicine and Head of the Rehabilitation Studies Unit.