A Study participants

This appendix lists the organisations and individuals that have participated in the study.

Following receipt of the terms of reference on 28 February 2012, an initial circular advertising the study was distributed to several hundred government representatives, industry organisations and individuals and the study was advertised in national and metropolitan newspapers.

The Commission released an Issues Paper on 26 March 2012 to assist interested parties in preparing their submissions. A Draft Report for the study was released on 31 August 2012. There were 26 submissions received by the Commission prior to the release of the draft report and 11 received after the draft report. A listing of all submissions is included in table A1.

In addition, the Commission met with a number of stakeholders, including business groups, academics and government agencies. A list of those meetings is in table A2.

Surveys were undertaken of government agencies involved in RIA processes in each jurisdiction. The methodology used for the surveys is discussed in appendix D. The names and responses of agency respondents, other than the regulatory oversight bodies, are treated as confidential. The regulatory oversight bodies in each jurisdiction, which responded to the survey and assisted the Commission in providing detailed information on the operation of RIA processes for their jurisdiction, are listed in table A3.

The Commission thanks all who have contributed to the study.

Table A.1 Submissions received

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| Participant | Submission No |

Accord Australasia 26

Australian Accounting Standards Board 15

Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry 2

Australian Financial Markets Association 11

Australian Food and Grocery Council 5

Australian Government Attorney-General’s Department 4

Australian Government Department of Infrastructure and Transport 21, DR36

Australian Government Office of Best Practice Regulation DR35

Australian Logistics Council 10

Association of Mining and Exploration Companies DR29

Australian Trucking Association 23

Business SA 18

Chi-X Australia Pty Ltd 13

Consumer Action Law Centre 16

Consumers Federation of Australia DR34

Construction Material Processors Association 9, DR31

CropLife Australia Limited 7

Haglund, Martin DR27

Master Builders Australia 19

Northern Territory Department of Treasury and Finance DR30

Officers undertaking RIA in the Victorian Transport Portfolio 17

Plastics and Chemicals Industries Association 8

Queensland Consumers Association 1, DR28

Tasmanian Department of Treasury and Finance 22

Tasmanian Parliamentary Standing Committee on Subordinate Legislation 3

The Centre for International Economics 14

Victorian Department of Premier and Cabinet DR32

Western Australia Department of Transport 12

Western Australia Department of Treasury DR37

Western Australia Local Government Association 6

Western Australia Small Business Development Corporation 25

Western Australia State Government 24

Confidential 20, DR33

Table A.2 Consultations

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| Commonwealth and national organisations |
| Accord Australasia |
| Australian Industry Group |
| Australian Building Codes Board |
| Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| Australian Food and Grocery Council |
| Australian Institute of Company Directors |
| Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority |
| Australian Prudential Regulation Authority |
| Australian Securities and Investments Commission |
| Business Council of Australia |
| COAG Reform Council |
| Consumer Health Forum of Australia |
| Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry |
| Department of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency |
| Department of Finance and Deregulation – Deregulation Group |
| Department of Finance and Deregulation – Office of Best Practice Regulation |
| Department of Health and Ageing |
| Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet – Cabinet Secretariat |
| Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet – COAG Secretariat |
| Food Standards Australia and New Zealand |
| Legislative and Governance Forum on Food Regulation (Secretariat) |
| National Transport Commission |
| Property Council of Australia |
| Safework Australia |
| Standing Council on Energy and Resources (Secretariat) |
| The Treasury |
|  |
| New South Wales |
| Better Regulation Office |
| Department of Finance and Services |
| Department of Infrastructure and Planning |
| Department of Treasury |
| Department of Trade and Investment, Regional Infrastructure and Services |
| Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal |
| Legislative Review Committee |
| NSW Business Chamber |
| NSW Fair Trading |
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| Victoria |
| Consumer Action Law Centre |
| Department of Premier and Cabinet |
| Department of Primary Industries |
| Department of Transport |
| Department of Treasury and Finance |
| Environmental Protection Authority |
| Scrutiny of Acts and Regulations Committee |
| Victorian Competition and Efficiency Commission |
| VicRoads |
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| Queensland |
| Council of the Ageing Queensland |
| Department of Education and Training |
| Department of Environment and Resource Management |
| Department of Employment Economic Development and Innovation |
| Department of Treasury |
| Queensland Business Commissioner |
| Queensland Competition Authority – Office of Best Practice Regulation |
| Queensland Consumer Association |
| Queensland Council of Social Services |
| Queensland Parliament – Committee Office |
| Synergies Consulting |
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| Western Australia |
| Department of Agriculture and Food |
| Department of Commerce |
| Department of Racing, Gaming and Liquor |
| Department of Transport |
| Department of Treasury – Regulatory Gatekeeping Unit |
| Small Business Development Corporation |
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| South Australia |
| Anglicare SA |
| Attorney General’s Department |
| Business SA |
| Department of Premier and Cabinet – Aboriginal Affairs and Reconciliation |
| Environment Protection Authority |
| Motor Trades Association |
| Restaurant and Catering South Australia |
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| *South Australia (continued)* |
| Impact assessment agencies |
| Department of Premier and Cabinet – Cabinet Office |
| Department of Treasury and Finance |
| Department for Manufacturing, Innovation, Trade, Resources and Energy |
| Department for Communities and Social Inclusion |
| Department of Environment and Natural Resources |
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| Tasmania |
| Department of Infrastructure, Energy and Resources |
| Department of Justice |
| Department of Primary Industries, Water and Environment |
| Department of Treasury and Finance |
| Joint Standing Committee on Subordinate Legislation |
| Tasmanian Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| Tasmanian Small Business Council |
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| Australian Capital Territory |
| ACT Treasury Directorate |
| ACT Office of Industrial Relations |
| Department of Environment and Sustainable Development |
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| Northern Territory |
| Department of Health |
| Department of Justice |
| Department of Treasury |
| Department of Treasury – Regulation Impact Unit |
| Regulation Impact Committee |
| Department of Business and Employment |
| Department of the Chief Minister |
| Department of Justice |
| Department of Treasury |
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| Other |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers (Melbourne and Perth) |
| Mr Rex Deighton-Smith, Jaguar Consulting |
| Mr Robert Milliner and Mr David Borthwick AO PSM |
| The Centre for International Economics |
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Table A.3 Regulatory oversight bodies

As at January 2012

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| Jurisdiction | Regulatory oversight body |
| Commonwealth | Australian Government Department of Finance and Deregulation – Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR) |
| COAG | Australian Government Department of Finance and Deregulation – Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR) |
| New South Wales | Department of Premier and Cabinet – Better Regulation Office |
| Victoria | Victorian Competition and Efficiency Commission |
| Queensland | Department of Treasury – Regulatory Review Branch |
| Western Australia | Department of Treasury – Regulatory Gatekeeping Unit |
| South Australia | Department of the Premier and Cabinet – Cabinet Office |
| Tasmania | Department of Treasury and Finance – Economic Reform Unit |
| ACT | Department of Treasury – Microeconomic Policy Unit |
| Northern Territory | Department of Treasury – Regulation Impact Unit |