**RESPONSE TO SENATE ORDER 15 ON DEPARTMENTAL AND AGENCY APPOINTMENTS AND VACANCIES**

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY
APPOINTMENTS MADE FROM 11 MARCH 2022 TO 7 OCTOBER 2022**

| **Departmental and Agency Body** | **Position** | **Appointee** | **State/Territory** | **Term** | **Remuneration** |
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| AgriFutures Australia (Rural Industries Research and Development Corporation) | Chairperson | Mrs Kay Hull AO | NSW | 2 August 2022 to 1 August 2025 | $62,660 per year |
| Australian Fisheries Management Authority | Acting Chief Executive Officer | Ms Anna Willock | ACT | 1 June 2022 to 4 June 2022 | $415,680 per year |
| Australian Fisheries Management Authority Commission | Deputy Chairperson | Ms Catherine Cooper | SA | 1 July 2022 to30 June 2023 | $39,880 per year |
| Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority | Acting Chief Executive Officer | Dr Rachel Chay | NSW | 19 April 2022 to22 April 2022 | $387,960 per year |
| Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority Board | Chairperson | Dr Carmel (Carrie) Hillyard AM | QLD | 29 March 2022 to28 March 2026 | $98,140 per year until 3 March 2023 then $88,290 per year |
| Member | Dr Jeremy Burdon | ACT | 29 March 2022 to28 March 2025 | $48,560 per year until 3 March 2023 then $44,150 per year |
|  | Member | Mrs Maree Gooch | WA | 29 March 2022 to28 March 2025 | $48,560 per year until 3 March 2023 then $44,150 per year |
|  | Member | Dr Steve Jefferies AM | SA | 29 March 2022 to28 March 2025 | $48,560 per year until 3 March 2023 then $44,150 per year |
| Cotton Research and Development Corporation | Chairperson | Mr Richard Haire | QLD | 29 August 2022 to 28 August 2025 | $54,130 per year |
| Drought Resilience Adoption and Innovation Hubs Advisory Committee | Member | Prof. Bronwyn Harch | QLD | 7 April 2022 to30 June 2023 | $823 per day |
| Forest Industry Advisory Council(formerly Forest and Wood Products Council) | Chairperson | Mr Rob de Fégely AM | NSW | 26 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
| Member | Dr David Brand | NSW | 7 April 2022 to 15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Ms Christine Briggs | NSW | 13 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Ms Katie Fowden | QLD | 5 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Mr Russ Hughes | VIC | 12 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Mr Andrew Hurford | NSW | 6 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Ms Diana Lloyd | VIC | 12 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Mr Frank Miller | NT | 19 April 2022 to 15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Ms Katherine Teh | VIC | 5 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Mr Ian Telfer | WA | 4 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
|  | Member | Ms Penny Wells | TAS | 6 April 2022 to15 April 2025 | Nil |
| Grains Research and Development Corporation | Chairperson | Mr John Woods | NSW | 1 October 2022 to30 September 2023 | $79,760 per year |
| Inspector General of Biosecurity | Individual | Dr Robert (Lloyd) Klumpp | TAS | 25 July 2022 to 24 July 2025 | $1,370 per day |
| Regional Investment Corporation | Acting Chief Executive Officer | Mr Paul Dowler | NSW | 11 September 2022 to10 March 2023\* | $332,415 per year |
| Regional Investment Corporation Board | Member | Mrs Sharon Starick | SA | 4 April 2022 to3 April 2025 | $44,150 per year |

\* Appointed as Acting CEO until 10 March 2023 or when a substantive CEO is appointed by the Board, whichever is the earlier.

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY
PORTFOLIO VACANCIES AS AT 7 OCTOBER 2022**

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| Departmental and Agency Body | Position | Number of vacancies |
| Regional Investment Corporation | Chief Executive Officer | 1 |
| Regional Investment Corporation Board | Member | 1 |