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

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND WATER RESOURCES – APPOINTMENTS 3 OCTOBER 2017 TO 5 FEBRUARY 2018**

| **Departmental and Agency Body** | **Position** | **Appointee** | **State/ Territory** | **Term** | **Remuneration** |
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| Australian Fisheries Management Authority | Acting Chief Executive Officer | Dr Nick Rayns | ACT | 26 October 2017 to  6 November 2017 | $399,520 per annum |
| 29 January 2018 to 2 February 2018 |
| Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA) | Acting Chief Executive Officer | Ms Stefanie Janiec | ACT | 9–17 October 2017 13–17 November 2017 | $372,890 per annum |
| Chief Executive Officer | Dr Christopher Parker | ACT | 13 November 2017 to 12 November 2022 | $372,890# per annum |
| Acting Chief Executive Officer | Ms Amy Fox | ACT | 29 January 2018 to 16 February 2018 | $372,890 per annum |
| Cotton Research and Development Corporation | Director | Ms Kathryn Adams | QLD | 21 November 2017 to 30 September 2020 | $25,310 per annum |
| Deputy Chairperson | 19 December 2017 to  30 September 2020 |
| Director | Mrs Elizabeth Alexander | QLD | 21 November 2017 to 30 September 2020 | $25,310 per annum |
| Director | Dr Jeremy Burdon | ACT | 21 November 2017 to 30 September 2020 | $25,310 per annum |
| Director | Professor Les Copeland | NSW | 21 November 2017 to 30 September 2020 | $25,310 per annum |
| Director | Mr Greg Kauter | QLD | 21 November 2017 to 30 September 2020 | $25,310 per annum |
| Director | Ms Rosemary Richards | NSW | 21 November 2017 to 30 September 2020 | $25,310 per annum |
| Grains Research and Development Corporation | Director | Ms Dianne Angus | VIC | 21 November 2017 to  30 September 2020 | $37,300 per annum |
| Director | Professor Chris Blanchard | NSW | 21 November 2017 to  30 September 2020 | $37,300 per annum |
| Director | Dr Helen Garnett | NT | 21 November 2017 to  30 September 2020 | $37,300 per annum |
| Director | Ms Roseanne Healy | SA | 21 November 2017 to  30 September 2020 | $37,300 per annum |
| Director | Mr Richard Heath | NSW | 21 November 2017 to  30 September 2020 | $37,300 per annum |
| Director | Ms Sue Middleton | WA | 21 November 2017 to  30 September 2020 | $37,300 per annum |
| Director | Professor Stephen Powles | WA | 21 November 2017 to  30 September 2020 | $37,300 per annum |
| Rural Industries Research and Development Corporation | Deputy Chairperson | Mr Ian Henderson | QLD | 27 November 2017 to 30 September 2020 | $58,6000 per annum |
| Wine Australia | Chief Executive Officer\* | Mr Andreas Clark | SA | 10 February 2018 to  9 February 2022 | $435,000 per annum |

\*Wine Australia Chief Executive Officer position approved by government but appointed by the corporation.

#Dr Chris Parker, APVMA CEO entitled to accommodation expense of $32,000 per annum from 1 December 2017 to 31 December 2019.

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**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND WATER RESOURCES–VACANCIES AS AT 5 FEBRUARY 2018**

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| Departmental and Agency Body | Position | Number of vacancies |
| Agricultural Industry Advisory Council | Member | 12 |
| Fisheries Research and Development Corporation Selection Committee | Presiding Member | 1 |
| Forest and Wood Products Council | Chairperson | 1 |
| Member | 10 |
| Observers | 4 |
| Grains Research and Development Corporation | Deputy Chairperson | 1 |
| Lake Eyre Basin Community Advisory Committee | Member | 6 |
| Lake Eyre Basin Scientific Advisory Panel | Chairperson | 1 |
| Member | 2 |
| Wine Australia Selection Committee | Presiding Member | 1 |
| Member | Up to 4 |