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Consumer Health Regulators Group Minutes

Meeting time and date	9am, 11 May 2017	
Meeting number	CHRG 2017/01	
Location	ACCC Canberra office 23 Marcus Clarke Street	ACCC Melbourne office Level 35, The Tower 360 Elizabeth Street
	ACCC Sydney office Level 20, 175 Pitt Street	ACCC Adelaide office Level 2, 19 Grenfell Street
Members	Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (Chair)	Scott Gregson, Sharon Clancy, Wynette Neil (Secretariat) David Salisbury; Ben Morawetz, Suresh Abhinav (VCU from Melbourne) Richard Fleming (VCU from Sydney)
	Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency	Diana Newcombe (VCU from Adelaide) Camilla Worsnop; Rachel Griffiths
	Department of Health (Therapeutic Goods Administration)	David Weiss
	NSW Health Care Complaints Commission	Sue Dawson (VCU from Sydney)
	Private Health Insurance Ombudsman	David McGregor
Observers	Department of Health	Ros Bauer, Phillip Bartlett
Apologies	Lynne Gillam (Department of Health); Pio Cesarin (TGA)	

1. Minutes

This being the first meeting, there were no Minutes to confirm.

2. Standing items

a) Updates from members

All members of the Group introduced themselves. They spoke to their Agency Summary Sheet, discussed the role of their agency and provided an update on the type of work that their agency is currently undertaking.

b) Register of matters

This Register will be updated at the next meeting.

c) Presentation on current issue

- ACCC v Medibank Private Limited

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Ben Morawetz gave a presentation about the ACCC's litigation against Medibank Private Limited. Questions were taken from the floor.

3. Papers

Title	Agency	Recommendation
Public references to the Group	ACCC 15 minutes	The Group agree on a basic set of words to be used in dealing with public queries about the Group.

All parties agreed that there was merit in continuing with the Group.

The suggested wording to be used in dealing with public queries about the Group will be finalised out-of-session by email.

4. Other Business

4.1. Forward meeting schedule

It was agreed that the group will next meet in July.

4.2. 2017 Seminar - The Advertising of Therapeutic Goods and Services (and its regulation)

Scott Gregson advised he would circulate to the Group information relating to the upcoming seminar being organised by [REDACTED]

The meeting closed at 11.00 am.

Next meeting

A proposed meeting date in July 2017 will be circulated to Group members by out-of-session email.

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Register of Matters

Date	Description	Lead	Future Action
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Consumer Health Regulators Group Agency summary sheet

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Agency/Department

Key contacts

Roles/Function/Jurisdiction

Current projects/emerging issues for discussion