

## MEDIA RELEASE

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## **Appointment of Panel Members**

The Takeovers Panel notes the announcement by the Assistant Treasurer and Minister for Financial Services of the reappointment of 9 members and the appointment of 8 new members to the Panel for terms of 3 years, effective 2 April 2023.

The following members have been appointed: Ms Sylvia Falzon, Mr Joseph Fayyad, Ms Louise Higgins, Dr Ruth Higgins SC, Ms Emma-Jane Newton, Dr Kristina Stern SC, Ms Erin Tinker and Ms Kate Towey. The President and the Panel executive warmly welcome the new members.

The following members have been reappointed: Ms Yasmin Allen, Ms Michelle Jablko, Mr Christian Johnston, Ms Kristen Jung, Mr Michael Lishman, Ms Rebecca Maslen-Stannage, Ms Diana Nicholson, Mr Neil Pathak and Mr James Stewart.

The President thanks the following members whose appointments end on 2 April 2023 for their service to the Panel: Ms Paula Dwyer, Ms Karen Evans-Cullen, Mr Anthony Jarvis, Mr Robert McKenzie, Ms Tara Page and Mr David Williamson.

Mr Ian Jackman SC resigned as a member of the Panel earlier this year following his appointment as a judge of the Federal Court of Australia. We congratulate Justice Jackman on his appointment.

The Panel now has 53 members all of whom are appointed on a part-time basis.

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