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REFERENCES:

- [1] WG3 Helsinki Resolutions - 32N0554
- [2] WG4 Helsinki Resolutions - 32N0556
- [3] WG5 Helsinki Resolutions - 32N0558
- [4] SC32 Helsinki Resolutions - 32N0547
- [5] WG3 Helsinki Minutes - WG3 PER001

The WG3 interim meeting 30 April to 11 May 2001 will be held in Perth, WA (Western Australia), Australia. This note provides accommodation and booking information, outlines meeting arrangements and provides some information on Perth and WA. This note also outlines arrangements for the interim WG5 meeting 30 April – 4 May 2001, Perth, WA and the interim WG4 meeting 23-27 April 2001, Sydney, NSW, Australia.

Location:

Holiday Inn City Centre, Perth
778-788 Hay Street
Perth, WA 6000
Australia

The hotel is a “four star”, centrally located hotel with restaurant, bar, swimming pool, sauna, spa, gym, etc. It is in the centre of the Perth CBD. Restaurant areas, shopping, parks and the city Ferry terminal are all within walking distance. The Central city bus and train stations are less than 5 minutes walk. Domestic and International Airports are 20 minutes by car.

Further information can be found at:

<http://www.westernaustralia.net/servlet/watc.WATCServlet?servletName=ViewProduct&systemName=discover®ionName=Perth&productID=2428>

An extract from this site:

The Holiday Inn City Centre Perth is a 4-star hotel, which boasts a superb location right in the heart of the city and Central Business District. It is an ideal base for both the business and leisure traveller alike. The hotel's convenient location places it close to major shopping malls, banks, duty free stores, cafes, theatres, cinemas, cultural and sports venues, and just a five minute walk from Northbridge, Perth's colourful restaurant and nightlife district."

Accommodation

Accommodation has been reserved at Holiday Inn Holiday Inn City Centre, Perth, and a group rate has been negotiated. As discussed at the WG3 and WG5 meetings all participants are asked to stay at the hotel. With all participants staying at the hotel, the meeting rooms will be provided by the hotel.

The rooms are single rooms with either a double/queen or twin beds.

Rooms have been reserved but must be booked by 31 March 2001. After that date, rooms will be released and will depend upon availability at the time. Holiday Inn advise that central Perth hotel accommodation can in be in high demand at that time of the year.

Cost

The room rate is expected to be AUD \$138.00 per night for Sunday to Thursday and a weekend rate of AUD\$110.00 per night. Breakfast can be added to this rate at AUD\$15 per day (ie AUD\$153 with breakfast, AUD\$125 weekend rate).

Depending on the numbers the final costs could be slightly lower than this negotiated rate.

Booking Arrangements

Please book directly with the Holiday Inn City Centre, Perth quoting
Government, "ISO Database Meeting",
state whether you are attending:

1. WG3 (Database Languages) 30/4-11/5; or
2. WG5 (Database Access and Interchange) 30/4-4/5

Please also notify me via email of your booking (don.bartley@abs.gov.au).

Holiday Inn City Centre, Perth contact methods:

1. Telephone +61 8 9261 7200
2. Fax +61 8 9261 7277
3. Email: bookings@holidayinnperth.com.au

Meeting Rooms and Refreshments:

Two meeting rooms have been reserved:

1. For WG3 – to hold up to 20 people. (although the meeting room has a larger capacity than this)
For: Monday 30 April to Friday 4 May 2001 inclusive; and
Monday 7 May to Friday 11 May 2001 inclusive
2. For WG5 - up to 8 people (in the hotel suite)
For: Monday 30 April to Friday 4 May 2001 inclusive

There will be continuous tea and coffee for the meetings and biscuits will arrive at nominated morning and afternoon tea times.

Other Information on Perth & WA

Some useful sites for information on Perth and WA are:

- www.westernaustralia.net
- www.countrywide.com.au
- www.onlinewa.com.au/enhanced
- www.calm.wa.gov.au

A Perth City map can be found at www.countrywide.com.au/perthmap.html)

Information on Holiday Inn Perth City can be found at:

<http://www.westernaustralia.net/servlet/watc.WATCServlet?servletName=ViewProduct&systemName=discover®ionName=Perth&productID=2428>

WG4 Sydney Meeting

The location of the WG4 meeting, 23-27 April, 2001 is:

Room 1, 10th Floor,
IBM Building, Darling Park,
(corner of Sussex & Market Streets)
Sydney

This building is within the Sydney CBD and overlooks Darling Harbour. The meeting room has a Harbourside view (... so the blinds should be kept shut to keep participant's focus on the work at hand!). There is a coffee shop on the ground floor and there are places for lunch and dinner in close proximity.

Some useful sites for information on Sydney, NSW and Australia are:

<http://203.29.59.99/0300/0301/0301.asp>

<http://302.29.59.99/>

www.australia.com

www.smh.com.au

Sydney Accommodation

Attached is an accommodation list of suggested hotels and apartments for delegates attending Standards Australia meetings. To obtain the rates listed, delegates must book via Standards Australia Group travel Agents. (see attachment). The distances in the attachment are to the Standards Australia meeting rooms (60 Bathurst Street). The WG4 meeting location (corner of Sussex and Market streets) is about 250 metres north of the Standards Australia meeting rooms.

The hotels closest to the meeting are:

ParkRoyal at Darling Harbour
150 Day Street
Sydney NSW 2000
Ph: 612 9261 1188
Fx: 612 9261 8766
www.parkroyal.com.au

Flag Suites Metro on
Sussex
132-136 Sussex Street
Sydney NSW 2000
Ph: 612 9290 9200
Fx: 612 9262 3032
www.metroinns.com.au

Four Points Sheraton
Sydney (formerly Hotel
Nikko)
161 Sussex Street
Sydney NSW 2000
Ph: 612 9299 1231
Fx: 612 9299 3340
www.fourpoints.com

Oakford Darling Harbour
All-Suite Hotel
252 Sussex Street
Darling Harbour NSW 2000
Ph: 612 8280 5000
Fx: 612 8280 5050
www.oakford.com

Nearby (less than 1 km)

Furama Hotel Darling Harbour
68 Harbour Street
Darling Harbour NSW 2000
Ph: 612 9281 0400
Fx: 612 9281 1212
www.furama-hotels.com

Radisson Hotels & Suites
72 Liverpool Street
Sydney NSW 2000
Ph: 8266 8888
Fx: 8268 8889
www.radisson.com/sydney
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Four Points Sheraton
Sydney (formerly Hotel
Nikko)
161 Sussex Street
Sydney NSW 2000
Ph: 612 9299 1231
Fx: 612 9299 3340
www.fourpoints.com

Merchant Court Hotel
68 Market Street, Sydney
2000
Ph: 612 9238 8888
Fx: 612 9238 8899
www.merchantcourt.com.au

Contacts

For WG3 and WG5 please contact the hotel directly to book accommodation and email details of your booking to don.bartley@abs.gov.au.

For other matters contact:

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email: david.bruce-steer@standards.com.au,

Attachment: **Accommodation in Sydney**

Below is a list of suggested hotels and apartments for delegates attending SAI Group meetings. To secure these specially negotiated rates, delegates must make bookings via SIA Group travel Agents American Express who are located in our Sydney office. Prices stated generally include 10% GST and are subject to change without notice.

American Express Travel at Standards Australia

Ph 02 8206 6662

Fx 02 8206 6013 Email: StandardsAustBtuStaff@aexp.com

Name of hotel	Rating	Price	Location details
ParkRoyal at Darling Harbour 150 Day Street Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 612 9261 1188 Fx: 612 9261 8766 www.parkroyal.com.au	4 stars	\$198	This is the closest hotel to Standards Australia's offices - approximately 100m away. It is conveniently located on the city side of Darling Harbour.
Four Points Sheraton Sydney (formerly Hotel Nikko) 161 Sussex Street Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 612 9299 1231 Fx: 612 9299 3340 www.fourpoints.com	4 ½ stars	\$178 city view \$205 harbour view	Located approximately 500m north of Standards Australia offices on Sussex Street, between King & Market Streets. This hotel is situated on the city side of Darling Harbour.
Radisson Hotels & Suites 72 Liverpool Street Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 8266 8888 Fx: 8268 8889 www.radisson.com/sydneyau	4 stars	\$175	Contemporary hotel located one block (approximately 200m) south of Standards Australia's offices. Facilities include business centre, 24 hour reception, concierge, and 24 hour in-room dining.
Merchant Court Hotel 68 Market Street, Sydney 2000 Ph: 612 9238 8888 Fx: 612 9238 8899 www.merchantcourt.com.au	5 stars	\$170	Located approximately 700m north of Standards Australia's offices atop the Grace Bros Department Store on the corner of Market and George Streets in the heart of the CBD.
Oakford Darling Harbour All-Suite Hotel 252 Sussex Street Darling Harbour NSW 2000 Ph: 612 8280 5000 Fx: 612 8280 5050 www.oakford.com	4 ½ stars	\$170.50 (one bedroom apartment) \$275 (two bedroom apartment)	These fully-serviced apartments are located approximately 150m north of Standards Australia's offices. Reception operates 24 hours and there is a licensed restaurant on-site.

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Name of hotel	Rating	Price	Location details
All Seasons Darling Harbour 17 Little Pier Street Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 612 8217 4000 Fx: 612 8217 4400 www.allseasons.com.au	4 stars	\$168	Located in the Darling Harbour precinct, close to all attractions and shops. This hotel is approximately 700m from Standards Australia offices.
Mercure Hotel Sydney 818 – 820 George Streets Sydney Central NSW 2000 Ph: 9217 6666 Fx: 9217 6888 www.accorhotels.com	4 stars	\$144	Relatively new hotel located adjacent to Central Station – just over a kilometre from SAI offices or one station (Town Hall) by train.
Hyde Park Inn 271 Elizabeth Street Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 9264 6001 Fx: 9261 8691 www.ozemail.com.au/~hydepark	3 ½ - 4 stars	\$143	Located approximately 600m from SAI offices, opposite Hyde Park and Museum station. All rooms are ensuite and most have kitchen facilities and balconies overlooking Hyde Park . Guest laundry facilities are free as is the undercover car park.
Flag Suites Metro on Sussex 132-136 Sussex Street Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 612 9290 9200 Fx: 612 9262 3032 www.metroinns.com.au	3 ½ stars	\$138	Located on the city side of Darling Harbour approximately 600m north of Standards Australia's offices. There are 33 fully serviced one bedroom apartments all with kitchen and laundry.
Park Regis Sydney 27 Park Street Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 9267 6511 Fx: 9264 2252 www.parkregissydney.com.au	3 ½ - 4 stars	\$132	Located near Hyde Park, approximately 500m east of SAI offices (2 blocks from Town Hall station). Hotel occupies 6 th to 15 th floors of a commercial building.

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Accommodation in Sydney (cont)

Name of hotel	Rating	Price	Location details
<p>Carlton Crest Hotel 169-179 Thomas Street Haymarket NSW 2000 Ph: 9281 6888 Fx: 9281 6688 www.carltoncrest-sydney.com.au</p>	<p>4 – 4 ½ stars</p>	<p>\$130 (room only) \$150 (+1 b'fast)</p>	<p>Located at Haymarket, approximately 1km south of SAI offices, near Darling Harbour, Central station and entertainment district. Accommodation rooms are spacious and start from the 8th floor.</p>
<p>Furama Hotel Darling Harbour 68 Harbour Street Darling Harbour NSW 2000 Ph: 612 9281 0400 Fx: 612 9281 1212 www.furama-hotels.com</p>	<p>4 stars</p>	<p>\$128 standard room \$158 executive floor</p>	<p>Located near Darling Harbour, close to Chinatown and opposite the Entertainment Centre. This hotel is approximately 700m south of Standards Australia's offices.</p>
<p>Southern Cross Sydney Hotel Cnr Elizabeth & Goulburn Streets Sydney NSW 2000 Ph: 9282 0987 Fx: 9211 1806 www.southerncrosshotelgroup.com.au</p>	<p>3 ½ - 4 stars</p>	<p>\$125</p>	<p>Located approximately 800m south east of SAI offices with easy access to Darling Harbour and Chinatown.</p>

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