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New Commissioner and Alternate Commissioner for Australia

We have been informed that Dr Nick Gales, Director of the Australian Antarctic Division within the Australian Government Department of the Environment, has been appointed as Commissioner for Australia and replaces Mr Peter Woolcott. Ms Debra Callister has also been appointed as Alternate Commissioner (Policy) and replaces Ms Christine Schweizer.

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