

# BUSINESS PULSE OF THE NATION



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## GOOD DEED

SYDNEY 4 APRIL 2011

About 500 corporate chiefs generously opened their wallets when they gathered for the Salvation Army's Red Shield Appeal this week. Appeal chair **Roger Massy-Greene** kick-started the donations with a \$100,000 cheque, only to be matched by Whitehaven Coal boss **Tony Haggarty**. Newly elected NSW government made a \$200,000 donation. Guests included Goldman Sachs international adviser **Charles Curran**, Fairfax chair **Roger Corbett**, Washington Soul Pattinson director **David Fairfull**, Adstream boss **Peter Miller**, Property Industry Foundation CEO **Rosemary Smithson**, Westpac's **Rachel Grimes** and Salvos commissioner **James Condon**. NSW Police Commissioner **Andrew Scipione** gave the keynote address.



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- 1 ROGER CORBETT, CHARLES CURRAN AND DAVID FAIRFULL
- 2 RACHEL GRIMES
- 3 ANDREW SCIPIONE AND JAMES CONDON
- 4 PETER MILLER AND ROSEMARY SMITHSON
- 5 ROBERT CHU, BURK HENLEY AND BILL SPAIN
- 6 NRI PATHAK, JONATHAN FARRER AND FRANCIS CATERALL
- 7 CRAIG DRUMMOND AND MIKE SMITH



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## SPANKING NEW

MELBOURNE 7 APRIL 2011

Things must really be looking up for law firm **Gilbert & Tobin**, which opened its Melbourne office with a big bash for 250 invited corporate clients from the big end of town. G&T chair **Bill Spain** and managing partner **Danny Gilbert** were in fine form chatting with Rio Tinto general counsel **Carelyn Lidgerwood**, Crown company secretary **Mary Manos**, Sullivan & Cromwell partner **Robert Chu** and colleague **Burr Henley**, G&T partner **Neil Pathak**, Greenhills Calburn principal **Jonathan Farrer** and Tatts Group's **Francis Caterall**.



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## BIG TALK

SYDNEY 8 APRIL 2011

ANZ boss **Mike Smith** says he wants to stay in sunny Australia for as long as possible, provided Treasurer **Wayne Swan** renews his visa. His tongue-in-cheek comments caused much laughter among the 500 guests gathered at a lunch organised by the Trans-Tasman Business Circle. Spotted in the gathering were Leighton chair **David Moertimer**, Worley Parsons chief **John Grill**, Merrill Lynch chief **Craig Drummond** and PWC CEO **Mark Johnson**.



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