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INTRODUCTION

We are pleased to present the 2011 report of the Australia and New Zealand Organ Donation Registry (ANZOD Registry). The Registry has been collecting and reporting on data for deceased organ donors since 1989 in Australia and 1993 in New Zealand. This report contains data for the year 2010 as well as cumulative data from each country since inception.

The Registry continues to be a collaborative effort of the Australasian Transplant Coordinators Association and the Australia and New Zealand Dialysis and Transplant Registry (ANZDATA). The Registry gratefully receives funding from the Australian Organ and Tissue Donation Authority, Kidney Health Australia and the New Zealand Ministry of Health.

Mrs Lee Excell has been involved in the Registry since its inception as the Registry Manager. Her involvement has continued with production of this current report. She has however now retired from her position but continues to provide advice and consultancy to the Registry. Her replacement as Registry Manager, Kylie Hurst, has also had input into the production of this report. Mr Brian Livingston continues to provide statistical programming and database management expertise.

It is usual for a Special Section to be included in the Report. This year an examination of DCD donors and the outcomes of kidney transplantation has been written by Dr Philip Clayton, Fellow in Clinical Epidemiology in the ANZDATA Registry.

We would like to thank Ms Kathy Hee, the Manager from Donate Life SA as the ATCA co-editor of this report.

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