

## STANDING COMMITTEE ON ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER AFFAIRS

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## **BRISBANE PROGRAM**

## Inquiry into language learning in Indigenous communities

## Public hearing Thursday 6 October 2011 9:30am – 3:15pm Speaker's Hall, Parliament House, Alice Street

9:30am	Queensland Department of Education and Training
10:15am	Nyoka "Nicky" Hatfield, Dharumbal culture and language teacher
10.45am	Morning tea
11:00am	<ul> <li>Eastern States Aboriginal Languages Group</li> <li>Faith Baisden, Coordinator</li> <li>Bridget Priman, Member</li> </ul>
11:30am	<ul> <li>Queensland Indigenous Language Advisory Committee (QILAC)</li> <li>Faith Baisden, Secretary</li> <li>Bridget Priman, Member</li> </ul>
12:00noon	lunch break
1:00pm	<ul><li>National Indigenous Radio Service</li><li>Brett Leavy, Manager</li></ul>
1.45pm	<ul> <li>Muurrbay Aboriginal Language and Culture Co-operative</li> <li>Anna Ash, Co-ordinator-Linguist, Many Rivers Aboriginal Language Centre</li> <li>Gary Williams, Senior Language Researcher</li> </ul>
2:30pm	<ul> <li>Aboriginal and Islander Independent Community School</li> <li>Philomena Downey, School Principal</li> <li>Victor Hart, Vice President, Board of Directors</li> </ul>
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