



THE SENATE

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS REFERENCES COMMITTEE

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**PUBLIC HEARING
Wednesday 9 October 2019**

**Seminar Rooms 2 & 3
Monash Conference Centre, Level 7, 30 Collins Street, Melbourne**

Time	Witness
8.30 am	Australian Lawyers Alliance (via teleconference) Mr Greg Barns, National Criminal Justice and Human Rights Spokesman
9.15 am	Emeritus Professor Terry Carney AO (Submission 28) Dr Darren O'Donovan (Submission 15)
10.00 am	Victoria Legal Aid Ms Rowan McRae, Executive Director, Civil Justice Access and Equity Mr Joel Townsend, Program Manager, Economic and Social Rights Social Security Rights Victoria Inc Mr John Berrill, Acting Principal Lawyer Mr Peter Horbury, Manager, Information and Operations
10.45 am	Morning tea
11.00 am	TBC
11.30 am	Australian Association of Social Workers (Submission 31) Ms Christine Craik, President Ms Angela Scarfe, Senior Policy Advisor
12.15 pm	Anglicare Australia (via teleconference) (Submission 30) Ms Kasy Chambers, Executive Director Uniting Vic.Tas (Submission 22) Ms Joanna Leece, Acting General Manager, Western Victoria and Tasmania Ms Anna Matina, Acting Executive Officer, Kildonan and Lentara
1.15 pm	Lunch
2.00 pm	People with Disability Australia Ms Romola Hollywood, Director Policy and Advocacy Children and Young People with Disability Australia Ms Mary Sayers, Chief Executive Officer
2.45 pm	COTA Australia (via teleconference) (Submission 24) Mr Ian Yates, Chief Executive

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3.30 pm	<i>Afternoon tea</i>
3.45 pm	Jobs Australia (Submission 12) Mrs Debra Cerasa, Chief Executive Officer Mr David Taylor, Policy analyst and media liaison
4.30 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>