



THE SENATE

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

National Disability Insurance Scheme Amendment (Improving Supports for At Risk Participants) Bill 2021

**PUBLIC HEARING
Monday 2 August 2021**

**Committee Room 2s3
Parliament House, Canberra**

Time	Witness
10.00 am	<p><i>via videoconference:</i> People with Disability Australia (<i>Submission 9</i>) Ms Samantha Connor, President</p> <p>Queensland Advocacy Incorporated (<i>Submission 11</i>) Ms Matilda Alexander, Chief Executive Officer Dr Emma Phillips, Deputy Chief Executive Officer and Principal Solicitor Ms Sophie Wiggans, Systems Advocate</p> <p>Australian Federation of Disability (<i>Submission 16</i>) Mr Patrick McGee, National Manager - Policy, Advocacy & Research Ms Natalie Wade, Expert Advisor</p>
11.00 am	<p><i>via videoconference:</i> National Disability Services (<i>Submission 8</i>) Ms Laurie Leigh, Interim Chief Executive Officer Ms Philippa Angley, Head of Policy</p> <p>The Australian Clinical Psychology Association (<i>Submission 2</i>) Professor Caroline Hunt, President Dr Paul Gertler, NSW Section Committee Member</p> <p>Allied Health Professionals Australia (<i>Submission 13</i>) Ms Claire Hewat, Chief Executive Officer Dr Chris Atmore, Manager - Policy & Advocacy</p>
12.00 pm	Lunch
12.30 pm	<p><i>via videoconference:</i> Office of the Public Guardian Northern Territory (<i>Submission 7</i>) Ms Beth Walker, Public Guardian and Trustee</p>

1.00 pm	<p><i>via videoconference:</i></p> <p>Department of Social Services (<i>Submission 4</i>) Mr Luke Mansfield, Group Manager - Market Capability Ms Bronwyn Worswick, Chief Counsel</p> <p>NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commission Ms Samantha Taylor PSM, Acting NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commissioner Ms Carolyn Strange, General Counsel</p> <p>National Disability Insurance Agency Ms Liz Neville, General Manager - Government Mr Scott McNaughton, General Manager - National Delivery</p>
2.30 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>