



THE SENATE

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Family Assistance Legislation Amendment (Cheaper Child Care) Bill 2022 [Provisions]

**PUBLIC HEARING
Friday 21 October 2022**

**2S3
Parliament House, Canberra**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	Early Childhood Australia (via videoconference) Ms Samantha Page, Chief Executive Officer
9.40 am	Early Learning & Care Council of Australia (ELACCA) (via videoconference) Ms Elizabeth Death, Chief Executive Officer
10.20 am	Break
10.30 am	Goodstart Early Learning (via videoconference) Mr John Cherry, Head of Advocacy
11.10 am	Kingston SE Early Learning and Childcare Services Working Group (via videoconference) Mrs Kirsty Starling, Chair Mrs Kristen Wilks, Committee member Mrs Fiona Rasheed, Committee member Ms Natalie Traeger, Chief Executive Officer, Kingston District Council Child Australia (via videoconference) Mrs Tina Holtom, Chief Executive Officer The Moriarty Foundation (Indi Kindi program) (via videoconference) (Submission 3) Mrs Ros Moriarty, Honorary Managing Director, Moriarty Foundation and Co-Founder of Indi Kindi Ms Odette Brown, Indi Kindi Team & Community Development Anchor
12.10 pm	Thrive by Five - Minderoo Foundation (via videoconference) (Submission 2) The Hon Jay Weatherill AO, Director Ngala (via videoconference) Ms Elsa Norvill, Operations Manager, Early Education and Development
1.00 pm	Break
2.00 pm	Ms Lisa Bryant (via videoconference)
2.40 pm	Telethon Kids Institute (via videoconference) Emeritus Professor Stephen Zubrick, Senior Honorary Research Fellow
3.20 pm	Break

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3.30 pm	Centre for Future Work (via videoconference) Dr Jim Stanford, Economist and Director Dr Fiona Macdonald, Policy Director (Industrial and Social)
4.10 pm	Department of Education Mr Brenton Philp, Deputy Secretary, Early Childhood and Youth Group Mr Tristan Reed, First Assistant Secretary, Child Care Division, Early Childhood and Youth Group Mrs Anne Twyman, First Assistant Secretary, Early Learning Programs and Youth Division, Early Childhood and Youth Group Ms Michele Arcaro, Assistant Secretary, Child Care Markets and Reform Branch, Child Care Division, Early Childhood and Youth Group Mr Stephen Moger, Assistant Secretary, Financial Integrity Branch, Child Care Division, Early Childhood and Youth Group
5.10 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>