



THE SENATE

**COMMUNITY AFFAIRS REFERENCES COMMITTEE**

**The worsening rental crisis in Australia**

**PUBLIC HEARING**  
**Wednesday 23 August 2023**

**Wickham Room, Hotel Grand Chancellor**  
**23 Leichhardt Street, Brisbane**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	<b>Tenants Queensland</b> ( <i>Submission 47</i> ) Ms Penny Carr, Chief Executive Officer (in-person)  <b>QShelter</b> ( <i>Submission 47</i> ) Ms Fiona Caniglia, Executive Director (in-person)
10.00 am	<b>Committee for Economic Development of Australia</b> ( <i>Submission 33</i> ) Mr Andrew Barker, Senior Economist (in-person)  <b>Dr Cameron Murray, University of Sydney (in-person)</b> ( <i>Submission 48</i> )
<b>10.45 am</b>	<b>Break</b>
11.00 am	<b>Short statements from individuals with lived experience</b>
<b>12.30 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
1.30 pm	<b>Queensland Council of Social Service</b> ( <i>Submission 36</i> ) Ms Aimee McVeigh, Chief Executive Officer (in-person)
2.15 pm	<b>Women's Legal Services Queensland</b> ( <i>Submission 37</i> ) Ms Nadia Bromley, Chief Executive Officer (in-person)
<b>3.00 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
3.15 pm	<b>Professor Nicole Gurrán, University of Sydney (via teleconference)</b>
3.45 pm	<b>Real Estate Institute of Queensland</b> ( <i>Submission 38</i> ) Ms Antonia Mercorella, Chief Executive Officer (in-person) Ms Katerina Beavon, General Counsel and Company Secretary (in-person)  <b>Landlords Association of South Australia</b> ( <i>Submission 50</i> ) Mrs Margaret Kohlhagen, President (in-person)
<b>4.45 pm</b>	<b>Adjournment</b>