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FAMILY, COMMUNITY,

HOUSING & YOUTH

Dear Secretary

I wish to make a submission to the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Family, Community, Housing and Youth's Inquiry into Better Support for Carers.

As a Carer, I feel that my role is

UNDERVALUED

I face the following problems ...

INADEQUATE RESPITE PLALES IN MY COMMUNITY.

I need help with ...

RESPITE AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

I think the Government can better help Carers by ...

GOVERNMENT FUNDED RESPITE CENTERS AND

CARERS.

Thank you for taking my views into consideration as part of the Committee's Inquiry. I look forward to reviewing any recommendations you make to improve life for Carers' in Australia.

Yours sincerely

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