



The Hon Bronwyn Bishop MP  
Chairman of the Standing Committee on Family and Human Services  
House of Representatives Standing Committee  
Parliament House  
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**Balancing Work and Family**

I would like to make the following comments in relationship to the Committee's consideration of its terms of reference:

- \* availability for salary sacrificing and centres which are not endorsed by a particular employer (when this occurs waiting lists are blown out of proportion) Also this creates elitist centres that only cater for a select few.
- \* Access to the 30% out of pocket tax offset ~ election promise compromised by putting claim out to 06 tax return.
- \* employers actually need to pay more than just lip service to work - family balancing
- \* Improve the CCB system to reflect child care staff work value cases and subsequent (expected) fee increases to be passed onto parents.

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