

# Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee

## PUBLIC HEARING: CANBERRA

30 March 2011

Committee Room 2S3, Parliament House, Canberra

9.00 am – 1.00 pm

### PROGRAM

<b>Commonwealth Commissioner for Children and Young People Bill 2010</b>	
9.00am – 9.30am	<i>Secretariat of National Aboriginal and Islander Child Care (SNAICC)</i> (Submission 53)  Mr Frank Hytten, Chief Executive Officer
9.30am – 10.00am	<i>Save the Children Australia</i> (Submission 57)  Ms Anna Schulze, Director Policy, Research and Advocacy Ms Nicole Cardinal, Policy Research and Advocacy Advisor
10.00am – 10.30am	<i>Child Abuse Prevention Research Australia (Monash University)</i> (Submission 35) – <i>via teleconference</i>  Adjunct-Professor Chris Goddard, Researcher Dr Rebecca Newton, Research Associate
10.30am – 11.00am	<i>ChilOut - Children Out of Immigration Detention</i> (Submission 63)  Ms Kate Gauthier, Chair Mr David Manne, Principal Lawyer, Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre
11.00am – 11.15am	Morning tea
11.15am – 12.00pm	<i>Australian Human Rights Commission (AHRC)</i> (Submission 50) – <i>via teleconference</i>  The Hon. Catherine Branson QC, President and Human Rights Commissioner
12.00pm – 1.00pm	<i>Department of Immigration and Citizenship (DIAC)</i> (Submission 89)  Dr Wendy Southern PSM, Deputy Secretary Ms Kate Pope, Principal Advisor CSM and First Assistant Secretary Community Detention Implementation  <i>Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs</i> (FaHCSIA)  Ms Cate McKenzie, Group Manager, Women and Children's Policy Ms Karen Wilson, Branch Manager, Children's Policy  <i>Attorney-General's Department</i>  Dr John Boersig, Assistant Secretary, Human Rights Branch

Chair: Senator Trish Crossin; Deputy Chair: Senator Guy Barnett; Secretary: Christine McDonald