Senate Committee: Education and Employment

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Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000444

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United Nation's Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

Question

How is the Department implementing the United Nation's Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, Article 24: Right to inclusive education?

Answer

The Department of Education and Training works with other federal departments and state and territory governments to foster an inclusive education system consistent with the United Nation's Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, Article 24: Right to inclusive education. National measures include the:

- National Disability Strategy 2010–2020
- Disability Standards for Education 2005
- Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability
- Revised Accreditation Standards and Procedures for the Australian Professional Standards
- Leading Learning 4 All online resource.