

APPENDIX 2

WITNESSES WHO APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE AT PUBLIC HEARING

Tuesday, 29 July 2008

Parliament House, Canberra

Committee Members in attendance

Senator Claire Moore (Chair)

Senator Judith Adams

Senator Cory Bernardi

Senator Sue Boyce

Senator Rachel Siewert

Witnesses

Dr Kay Patterson *via teleconference*

Carers Australia

Ms Joan Hughes, Chief Executive Officer

National Council on Intellectual Disability

Mr Mark Pattison, Executive Director

Trustee Corporations Association of Australia and Public Trustees of the States and Territories, and State Trustees Limited

Mr Tony Fitzgerald, Managing Director, State Trustees Limited, and National President, Trustee Corporations Association of Australia

Mr Alistair Craig, Senior Corporate Lawyer, State Trustees Limited

Winaccom Association Inc *via teleconference*

Mr Ian Gresswell, Honorary Treasurer

Autism Aspergers Advocacy Australia

Mr Bob Buckley, Convenor

Pave the Way *via teleconference*

Mr Jeremy Ward, Manager

Mr Ian Spicer *via teleconference*

National Disability Services Limited

Dr Ken Baker, Chief Executive

Mr Ray Walter and Ms Phillis Breheny *via videoconference*

Planned Individual Networks *via videoconference*

Mr Harry Weir, Funds Development Director

Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs

Ms Lee Emerson, Branch Manager, Carer Branch

Ms Angela Hope, Section Manager, Carer Policy

Ms Alanna Foster, Branch Manager, Seniors and Means Test Branch

Mr Sam Cavalli, Section Manager, Financial Markets Section, Seniors and Means Test Branch

Department of Veterans Affairs

Mr Stuart Kennedy, Director, Income Support Policy Development and Advice