



THE SENATE

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT REFERENCES COMMITTEE

The delivery of quality and affordable early childhood education and care services

**PUBLIC HEARING
Thursday 22 May 2014**

**Committee Room 2S1
Parliament House, Canberra**

Time	Witness
9.30 am	Department of Education (<i>Submission 23</i>) Ms Jackie Wilson, Deputy Secretary Ms Jo Caldwell, Group Manager Ms Gillian Mitchell, Branch Manager
10.30 am	Break
10.45 am	Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth (<i>Submission 8</i>) Dr Stacey Fox, Project Manager Ms Anne Waddoups, Senior Research Manager
11.30 am	Independent Education Union of Australia (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 9</i>) Ms Christine Cooper, Assistant Federal Secretary Mr John Spriggs, Senior Industrial Officer, IEUA Queensland Northern Territory Branch Ms Lisa James, Early Childhood Organiser, IEU NSW/ACT Branch
12.15 pm	MADCAPS (via teleconference) Ms Rebecca Ryan Ms Kristy Ashwin
1.00 pm	Lunch
2.00 pm	Goodstart Early Learning (<i>Submission 27</i>) Mr John Cherry, Advocacy Manager
3.00 pm	Early Childhood Australia (<i>Submission 11</i>) Ms Samantha Page, Chief Executive Officer Mr Chris Steel, Policy Manager
4.00 pm	Adjournment