



THE SENATE

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Social Services Legislation Amendment (Transition Mobility Allowance to the National Disability Insurance Scheme) Bill 2016

**PUBLIC HEARING
Monday 21 November 2016**

**Committee Room 2S3
Parliament House, Canberra**

Time	Witness
4.30 pm	<p>National Disability Services (<i>Submission 5</i>) Dr Ken Baker, Chief Executive</p> <p>People with Disability Australia (via teleconference) Ms Samantha French, Advocacy Manager</p> <p>Children and Young People with Disability Australia (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 14</i>) Ms Stephanie Gotlib, Chief Executive Officer Ms Winnie Bridie, Policy Officer</p>
5.15 pm	<p>Vision Australia (<i>Submission 6</i>) Mr Bruce Maguire</p> <p>Blind Citizens Australia (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 7</i>) Mr Rikki Chaplin, Advocacy and Policy Officer</p> <p>Australian Blindness Forum (<i>Submission 9</i>) Ms Jennifer Grimwade, Executive Officer</p> <p>Macular Disease Foundation Australia (<i>Submission 13</i>) Ms Julie Heraghty, Chief Executive Officer Mr Mark Choo, Senior Policy Officer</p> <p>Royal Society for the Blind (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 11</i>) Mr Tony Starkey, Government Relations and Accessibility</p>
6.00 pm	Break
6.10 pm	<p>NSW Council of Social Service (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 3</i>) Ms Carolyn Hodge, Policy Lead Ms Ya'el Frisch, Policy and Research Officer</p> <p>National Welfare Rights Network (via teleconference) (<i>Submission 10</i>) Mr Matthew Butt, Executive Officer</p>

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6.45 pm	Department of Social Services (<i>Submission 8</i>) Ms Cath Halbert, Group Manager, Payments Policy Group Ms Helen McDevitt, Group Manager, NDIS Transition Oversight Ms Emma Kate McGuirk, Branch Manager, Work and Study Payments
7.30 pm	<i>Adjournment</i>