



JOINT COMMITTEES

**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE NATIONAL DISABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME**

**Capability and Culture of the NDIA**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Thursday 31 August 2023**

**The Point, 8 Bass Highway  
Parklands (Burnie)**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
9.00 am	<b>Early Childhood Intervention Service</b> Ms Annette Saunders, Principal
9.45 am	<b>Speak Out Advocacy Tasmania</b> Ms Jenny Dixon, Manager
<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>Break</b>
10.45 am	<b>St Vincent de Paul Society Tasmania</b> Dr Les Baxter, Chief Operating Officer Vincent Industries Ms Nellie McKenna, Executive Manager
11.30 am	<b>Empowerment Support Services</b> Ms Samantha Crack, Director
<b>12.30 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
1.30 pm	<b>Family Based Care</b> Mr Douglass Doherty, Chief Executive Officer
2.15 pm	<b>North West Support School</b> Ms Sarah-Jane Murphy, Principal Ms Jess Alexander, AST
<b>3.00 pm</b>	<b><i>Statements from people with lived experience of disability and the NDIS (5-10 mins)</i></b>
<b>3.30 pm</b>	<b><i>Adjournment</i></b>