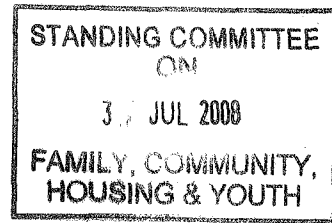


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House of Representatives Standing Committee on Family,
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Submission No. 1167

(Inq into better support for carers)

Dear Secretary

I wish to make a submission to the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Family, Community, Housing and Youth's Inquiry into Better Support for Carers.

I am submitting to the Inquiry because...

I feel the Carer needs more support.
and most of all to be listened to

More information is attached on a separate sheet

1. The role and contribution of carers in society

As a carer, I feel that my role is...

Is very Rewarding, also helping and
understanding other Carers, As I have had
nearly forty years of caring myself

More information is attached on a separate sheet

2. The barriers to social and economic participation for carers

As a carer, I face the following problems ...

Trying to get the Government to Listen to the
Carers who are crying out for help, try to
understand their needs

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3. The practical measures required to better support carers

As a carer, I need help with ...

maybe more Flexus & Hard hats, there are
a lot of carers who don't know of support groups
where they can get help

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4. Strategies to assist carers to access opportunities and choices

I think the Government can better help carers by ...

By understanding the needs of carers, more
funding to help. a carer's role is on going
sometimes with very little support, and not
enough funding.

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Thank you for taking my views into consideration as part of the Committee's Inquiry. I look forward to reviewing any recommendations you make to improve life for carers in Australia.

Yours sincerely

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