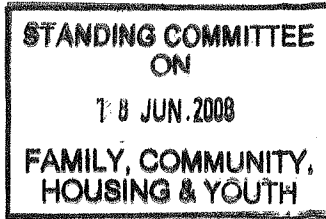


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Dear Secretary

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.

As a Carer, I feel that my role is

To do all I can to make my wife as comfortable as possible to give her moral support and to try and go on with life as best we can.

I face the following problems ...

I get help from the Silver chain and I say thank you but it is still alot of work to do which I find hard at times. Its more of a mental drain then ~~possible~~ physical but I'm not complaining that's my wife and I love her and will do all I can to help her.

The \$50 carers pension I get for all I do is very poor and if I can get more it would help

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

*Granting us more money.
also if your a senior you get alot of outing a year, but if your an Amirtack you get nothing, a for night holidays once a year would be very nice*

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.

(Ronald
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husband of Victoria

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