## Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

## **2017-18 Budget Estimates Hearings**

Outcome Number: 3.2 National Disability Insurance Scheme Question No: SQ17-000328

**Topic: Boosting the Local Care Workforce** 

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## Senator Carol Brown asked:

How and when will this program be rolled out and delivered by the Department?

## Answer:

A single lead organisation will be engaged through a restricted selection process. This organisation will provide up to 25 Care Workforce Regional Coordinators; up to 10 Specialist Coordinators; and also provide access to Sector Transition and Employer Support which includes access to small business development grants. The organisation will be engaged by the end of 2017.