

**SENATE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
PUBLIC HEARING PROGRAM
TUESDAY, 29 JULY 2008**

**Senate Committee Room 2S1
Parliament House Canberra**

Inquiry into Special Disability Trusts

8.30 am	9.15 am	Dr Kay Patterson (sub 43) via teleconference
9.15 am	10.00 am	Carers Australia (sub 18) Ms Joan Hughes, Chief Executive Officer Ms Sue Aiesi, Policy and Research Manager
10.00 am	10.45 am	National Council on Intellectual Disability (sub 11) Mr Mark Pattison, Executive Director
10.45 am	11.00 am	Break
11.00 am	11.30 am	Trustee Corporations Association of Australia (sub 16) and Public Trustees of the States and Territories, and State Trustees Limited (sub 22) Mr Tony Fitzgerald, Managing Director, State Trustees Limited, and National President, Trustee Corporations Association of Australia Mr Alistair Craig, Senior Corporate Lawyer, State Trustees Limited
11.30 am	12.00 pm	Winacomm Association Inc (sub 6) via teleconference Mr Ian Gresswell, Honorary Treasurer
12.00 pm	12.30 pm	Autism Aspergers Advocacy Australia (sub 2) Mr Bob Buckley, Convenor
12.30 pm	1.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	2.00 pm	Pave the Way (sub 14) via teleconference Mr Jeremy Ward, Manager
2.00 pm	2.30 pm	Mr Ian Spicer (sub 19) via teleconference
2.30 pm	3.15 pm	National Disability Services Limited (sub 15) Mr Ken Baker, Chief Executive
3.15 pm	3.30 pm	Break
3.30 pm	4.00 pm	Mr Ray and Mrs Wendy Walter (sub 21) via videoconference
4.00 pm	4.30 pm	Ms Phillis Breheny (sub 24) via videoconference
4.30 pm	5.00 pm	Planned Individual Networks (sub 4) via videoconference Mr Harry Weir, Funds Development Director

5.00 pm

5.45 pm

Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs (sub 13)

Ms Lee Emerson, Branch Manager, Carer Branch

Ms Angela Hope, Section Manager, Carer Policy

Ms Alanna Foster, Branch Manager, Seniors and Means Test Branch

Mr Sam Cavalli, Section Manager, Financial Markets Section, Seniors and Means Test Branch

Department of Veterans Affairs

Mr Stuart Kennedy, Director, Income Support Policy Development and Advice