

PUBLIC HEARING

Committee Room 2S3
Parliament House
CANBERRA

Thursday 11 September 2008

9.00am – 3.00pm

PROGRAM

Inquiry into the effectiveness of the Commonwealth <i>Sex Discrimination Act 1984</i> in eliminating discrimination and promoting gender equality	
9.00am – 9.45am	Attorney-General's Department <i>No Submission</i> Mr Peter Arnaudo, Assistant Secretary, Human Rights Branch
9.45am – 10.45am	Carers Australia <i>Submission 33</i> Ms Annemarie Ashton, Policy Advisor
10.45am – 11.00am	<i>Break</i>
11.00am – 11.45am	Ordination of Catholic Women Inc <i>Submission 9</i> Ms Marilyn Hatton, Convenor Dr Marie Joyce Mr Noel Gregory
11.45am – 12.45pm	Women's Electoral Lobby <i>Submission 8</i> Dr Kathy MacDermott Professor Marian Sawyer AO Professor Margaret Thornton
12.45pm – 1.30pm	<i>Lunch</i>
1.30pm – 2.15pm	Australian Christian Lobby <i>Submission 71</i> Mr Jim Wallace AM, Managing Director Mr Benjamin Williams, Research Officer
2.15pm – 3.00pm	WomenSpeak Network <i>Submission 60 (Collaborative submission from leading women's organisations and women's equality specialists)</i> Ms Caroline Lambert, Executive Director, YWCA Australia Ms Shivaun Inglis, Network Coordinator, WomenSpeak