



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

STANDING COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL ISSUES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

INQUIRY INTO SUBSTITUTE DECISION-MAKING FOR PEOPLE LACKING CAPACITY

Tuesday 29 September 2009

Waratah Room, Parliament House, Sydney

Time	Witness	Position	Organisation
9:15 – 10:00 am	Ms Anne Cregan	Pro bono Partner	Blake Dawson Lawyers
10:00 – 10:45 am	Ms Anne-Marie Elias	Policy and Communications Manager	Council on the Ageing
MORNING TEA 10:45 – 11:00 AM			
11:00 – 11:45 am	Ms Rachel Merton	Chief Executive Officer	Brain Injury Association of NSW
11:45 – 12:30 pm	Mr Ben Fogarty	Principal Solicitor	Intellectual Disability Rights Service
	Ms Janene Cootes	Executive Officer	
LUNCH 12:30 – 1:30 PM			
1:30 – 2:15 pm	Mr Jim Simpson	Senior Advocate	NSW Council for Intellectual Disability
2:15 – 3:00 pm	Ms Therese Sands	Executive Director	People with Disability Australia
	M Phillip French	Member and human rights legal expert	
AFTERNOON TEA 3:00 – 3:15 PM			
3:15 – 4:15 pm	Mr Alan Kirkland	Chief Executive Officer	Legal Aid NSW
	Ms Monique Hitter	Director, Civil Law	
	Mr Nihal Danis	Senior Solicitor, Mental Health Advocacy Service	

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