



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

GENERAL PURPOSE STANDING COMMITTEE NO. 2

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**INQUIRY INTO THE PROVISION OF EDUCATION TO STUDENTS WITH A
DISABILITY OR SPECIAL NEEDS**

Tuesday, 23 March 2010

Jubilee Room, Parliament House, Sydney

TIME	WITNESS	POSITION	ORGANISATION
9.15am	Mr Gary Zadkovich Mr Ted Kenny Mr Henry Rajendra Ms Sue Simpson	Deputy President Organiser – Special Education Organiser Research Officer	NSW Teachers Federation
10.00am	Ms Pam Smith Ms Patricia Murnane	Organiser Learning Support Leader, Emmaus College	Independent Education Union of Australia
10.45am	MORNING TEA		
11.00am	Associate Professor Jennifer Stephenson Dr Checka MacLaurin	Director NSW Chapter Committee	Macquarie University Special Education Centre Australian Association of Special Education
11.45am	Mr Jim Bond Professor Max Coltheart	Advocate Macquarie Centre for Cognitive Science	Macquarie University
12.30pm	LUNCH		
1.30pm	Mr Michael Coutts-Trotter Ms Deonne Smith Mr Brian Smyth King Ms Diane Dunn Ms Anne Stewart Ms Linda Smith	Director General General Manager, Access and Equity Director, Disability Programs School Education Director Principal Liaison Officer, Disability Programs Principal, Wiley Park Girls High School	Department of Education and Training
2.45pm	AFTERNOON TEA		
3.00pm	Ms Elizabeth Gadek Ms Kerrie Nelson	Chair Deputy Chair	National Independent Special Schools Association
3.45pm	Ms Michelle Ralston Ms Julie Ashby Ms Kay Barker Mr Peter Johnson	Support Class Teacher Principal Learning Support Coordinator School Counsellor	
4.45pm	CONCLUSION		

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