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The Hon. Susan Ryan AO
Acting Disability Discrimination Commissioner
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Dear Commissioner


Further to our verbal presentation we hereby submit our endorsement of an extension of a further 12 months by the Australian Human Rights Commissioner for the exemption from the application of the BSWAT under the *Disability Discrimination Act, 1992* with respect to Australian Disability Enterprises.

This submission is being made by the intended new peak body for people with moderate to severe intellectual disability and their families as discussed in our presentation.

We thank the Commissioner for and on behalf of our workers, families and carers for your generous time and understanding.

We currently organising sub-committees for the intended new body which is set to launch in a matter of weeks.

Yours faithfully
Our Voice Australia



Mary Lou Carter
Secretary

Supporting people with moderate/severe intellectual disability and their families