



## Education, Employment, Training and Skills Committee

### Public Hearing and Briefing Program

**Monday 4 March 2024**

**10.00am –12.30pm**

**Legislative Assembly Chamber, Parliament House**

#### Inquiry into the Education (General Provisions) (Extension of Primary Schools in Remote Areas) Amendment Bill 2023

##### Public hearing

*Times (approx.)*

<b>10.00am – 10.15am</b>	<b>Isolated Children’s Parents’ Association</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mrs Wendy Henning, President</li><li>• Mrs Kate Bradshaw, Vice President</li></ul>
<b>10.15am – 10.30am</b>	<b>P&amp;Cs Queensland</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr Scott Wiseman, Chief Executive Officer</li></ul>
<b>10.30am – 10.45am</b>	<b>Maranoa Regional Council</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms Edwina Marks, Chief Executive Officer (<i>via teleconference</i>)</li></ul> <b>Individual Capacity</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms Julie Guthrie (<i>via teleconference</i>)</li></ul>
<b>10.45am – 11.00am</b>	<b>Queensland Independent Schools Parents Network</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms Amanda Watt, Executive Director</li></ul>
<b>11.00am – 11.20am</b>	<b>Queensland Teachers’ Union</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms Cresta Richardson, President</li><li>• Dr Craig Wood, Research Officer (<i>via teleconference</i>)</li></ul>

##### Break

##### Public briefing

<b>11.30am – 12.00pm</b>	<b>Mr Robbie Katter MP, Member for Traeger</b>
<b>12.00pm – 12.30pm</b>	<b>Department of Education</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms Stacie Hansel, Deputy Director-General – Schools and Student Support</li><li>• Mr Grant Webb, A/Assistant Director-General – Schools and Student Support</li><li>• Ms Megan Barry, Deputy Director-General – People, Information and Communication Services</li></ul>

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