Dear Committee Secretary

The National People with Disabilities and Carer Council (Council) provides advice to the Australian Government on issues affecting people with disability, their families and carers and services in Australia.

A number of Council members are also representatives on the National Disability Strategy Implementation Reference Group (NDSIRG) which provided you a submission on the Australian Education Bill 2012.

Education and the current reform program is a key area of focus for Council and I am pleased to inform you that NDSIRG’s submission on the Australian Education Bill 2012 has been endorsed by Council.

Yours sincerely

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Chair
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