

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND COMMUNITY WELLBEING Mr Johnathan Davis MLA (Chair), Mr James Milligan MLA (Deputy Chair), Mr Michael Pettersson MLA

MEDIA RELEASE

On 23 June 2021 the **Carers Recognition Bill 2021** was presented in the Assembly by Suzanne Orr MLA as a Private Member's Bill.

The Bill stands referred to the Standing Committee on Health and Community Wellbeing under a resolution of the Assembly of 2 December 2021 which provides for Committee inquiry into Bills coming before the Assembly.

On 6 July 2021 the Health and Community Wellbeing Committee agreed to inquire further into the Bill, and is calling for submissions to the inquiry, with a **closing date for submissions of Friday, 23 July 2021**.

The Committee plans to hold a public hearing on the Bill on Tuesday 27 July 2021, from 3 to 4 pm.

6 July 2021

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