

## **SUBMISSION FROM BRENDA WILSON**

1. I would like to submit my support for the Autism bill to go through to the next stage.
2. It is vital to our young people who have many talents and are a great asset to our communities as I myself have 2 sons plus my husband has been diagnosed with Asperger Syndrome.
3. I know and live with the difficulties this can bring to daily living but most important, I know the advantages of having the support and help for my family as a whole to live its life to the fullest.
4. This bill would allow parents and carers like me to know we are not alone, the government we support is listening to us and that we have a voice for our families and communities.
5. Hugh O'Donnell is doing a tremendous job in putting this bill forward for all the people with autism in their lives.
6. As I know, with the right support, knowledge and professionalism, people with autism and those affected by autism can live a full and meaningful life.
7. Without this bill, many of these people who have the right to jobs and education will not get them because of a simple lack of understanding of autism.
8. Please listen to Hugh O'Donnell and the people with autism they have a right to be heard.

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