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## Media Release

Disability Advocacy Victoria welcomes the pledge by the Opposition Leader, Mr Bill Shorten for a Royal Commission into the violence, abuse and neglect of people with disabilities.

"It is vital that the reality of violence, abuse and neglect of people with disabilities be taken seriously, investigated and acted upon and we are pleased to see the Leader of the Opposition make this commitment," stated Melanie Muir, Chairperson of Disability Advocacy Victoria (DAV Inc).

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