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"YES It's Here!!!"

The SA Government has announced that applications are open for the initial launch of Self Managed disability funding in SA

Whilst not for everyone this project is a significant step for many in the Disability Community who have advocated strongly that such an option should be available.

**Disability Minister Jennifer Rankine and the team at Disability SA must be complimented on launching this service on time as promised
(only fair!!! we tell em when they stuff up!)**

Whilst much remains to be done in disability service in SA this is a very important and potentially life changing step for many.

**For information
first wave potential packages are limited to 50
be quick if you are keen**

<http://www.sa.gov.au/subject/Community+Support/Disability/Corporate+and+business+information/Disability+information+and+publications/Disability+SA+news+and+events/Disability+SA+self-managed+funding>

p.s. Will someone speak to Jennifer Macklin please?

Parliamentary apologies for past ill treatment of people with a disability or words of support in Carers week do nothing to fix the National Disability Crisis that is escalating today.

Does Jen really get it??

What year will they apologies for the disaster that is occuring now??

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