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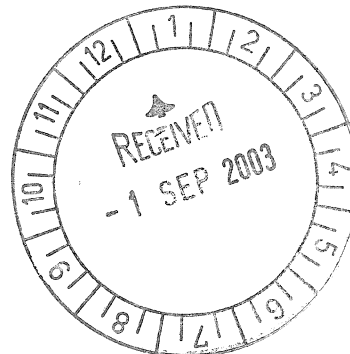


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Mr D Driscoll
Senior Committee Clerk
Select Committee on the Reserves (Reserve 43131) Bill 2003
Parliament House
PERTH 6000



Dear Mr Driscoll

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Transcript of Evidence

I wish to advise the Select Committee that the Department of Indigenous Affairs (DIA) received a letter from the Swan Valley Nyungah Community dated 5 November 2002 in which a Memorandum of Understanding between the Government and Aboriginal communities was mentioned. On examination of the letter, I advise that it was circulated to several Government departments, including the Premier's Office.

The letter was overlooked by me during the giving of my evidence and I wish to stand corrected on my comment to the effect that DIA did not receive any requests from Mr Robert Bropho to negotiate a Memorandum of Understanding (Please refer to Hon Derrick Tomlinson page 12).

Yours sincerely

RICHARD CURRY
DIRECTOR GENERAL
29 August 2003