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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE

ON TREATIES .RE: TREATY

BETWEEN AUST. & CZECH REPUBLIC

& VIETNAM REPUBLIC ON AIR SERVICES.

DEAR SIRS.

IT IS THE SUBMISSION OF THE EXECUTIVE THAT THESE TWO TREATIES SHOULD BE RATIFIED. WE WELCOME TREATIES SUCH AS THESE THAT ARE TOURIST RELATED, THIS WILL ALSO PROVIDE MUCH NEEDED WORK FOR YOUNG AUSTRALIANS. I MYSELF HAVE A YOUNG SON WHO HAS JUST JOINED AN INTERNATIONAL AIRLINE COMPANY THAT OPERATES BOTH ON DOMESTIC ROUTES IN AUSTRALIA AND OVERSEAS ROUTES. WE SUPPORT THE FINDINGS OF THE OVERVIEW AND NATIONAL INTEREST SUMMARY, THE FACT THERE IS NO COST TO THE TAXPAYERS IS ALSO WELCOME. SUCH THINGS AS AIR SAFETY AND SECURITY AS MENTIONED IN OBLIGATIONS IS ALWAYS OF A CONCERN IN TREATIES, BUT THESE MATTERS ARE ADDRESSED IN THESE TREATIES. THE EXECUTIVE WISH TO THANK THE COMMITTEE FOR ALLOWING US TO COMMENT ON THESE TREATIES.

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