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Dear Parliamentary Joint Committee on Intelligence and Security

Re: Review of the Australian Citizenship Renunciation by Conduct and Cessation Provisions

Thank you for adhering to Section 29(1)(ca) of the Intelligence Services Act 2001. I appreciate the time you have taken to consult in relation to the terms of reference of your inquiry.

I wish to extend operation advice on the process of renunciation by conduct or cessation in respect to Section 33AA(2) of the Australian Citizenship Act 2007.

 I wish to add these two new items to Section 33AA(2) to increase the effectiveness of the Citizenship Loss Board:

- (i) pledging allegiance to a terrorist organisation
- (j) displaying allegiance with a terrorist organisation

I welcome the inquiry, and I look forward to receiving your final report.

Yours faithfully

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