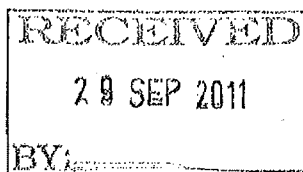


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Dear Sir/Madam

I acknowledge receipt of Mr Murphy's letter of 25 August 2011 to the Deputy Prime Minister concerning a petition regarding the National Disability Insurance Scheme.

As the matter falls more directly within the portfolio responsibilities of the Minister for Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs, your correspondence has been referred to the Hon Jenny Macklin MP for her attention.

Yours faithfully

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