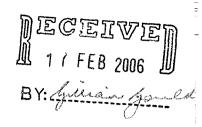
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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
ON TREATIES. RE: TREATY
BETWEEN AUSTRALIA & USA.

DEAR SIRS.

AVIATION SAFETY.

AS OUR NATIONAL CARRIER QANTAS HAS THE BEST AIR SAFETY RECORD IN THE WORLD, WE SUPPORT ANY EFFORT TO EXTEND THAT RECORD TO OTHER AIRLINES.

MAINTENANCE AND SAFETY ARE OF A MAJOR CONCERN TO THE EXECUTIV

ALONG WITH COSTS TO THE TAXPAYER, BUT WE BELIEVE THAT EXPERTS ARE IN PLACE IN THE AVIATION FIELD, THE EXECUTIVE IS CONCERNED AT JOB LEVELS, IN RELATION TO INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS ALSO.

THE HIGH STANDARDS SET BY AUSTRALIA IN THE AVIATION INDUSTRY ARE NOT THE SAME IN OTHER COUNTRIES, WE WOULD NOT LIKE TO SEE OUR STANDARDS HIGHJACKED BY OTHER NATIONS, AND OUR SAFETY PUT AT RISK BY LOWER STANDARDS OF SAFETY ELSEWHERE. THE EXECUTIVE SUPPORT CASA, AS OUR AVIATION SAFETY REGULATOR. OF COURSE WE ARE CONCERNED AT THE SAFETY RECORD IN RELATION TO SMALL AIR CRAFT, ALSO OUR CIVIL AVIATION IN RELATION TO THE MANNING OF

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PO Box 216 Brunswick Heads NSW 2483 Tel/Fax 02 6685 1719 REGIONAL AIRFIELDS, ALSO LACK OF RADER CONTROLLERS ON SMALL AIRFIELDS. THIS WILL LEAD TO AN AIR DISASTER IN THE FUTURE. THE EXECUTIVE ALSO BELIEVE THAT MASCOT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, SHOULD HAVE TWO SUPPORT INTERNATIONAL FIELDS OUTSIDE OF SYDNEY, TO RELIEVE CONGESTION IN THE FUTURE.

FOR LARGE AIRCRAFT TO FLY OVER A MAJOR CITY LIKE SYDNEY IS CRAZY. BECAUSE WE HAVE HAD NO MAJOR DISASTER DOES NOT SAY THAT WE WON'T HAVE IN THE FUTURE. MONEY SHOULD NOT BE A FACTOR IN RELATION TO AIR SAFETY. WE HAVE RECENTLY SEEN AIRCRAFT USED BY TERRORISTS IN THE UNITED STATES TO FLY INTO BUILDINGS, THIS SHOULD BE SEEN AS A POSSIBLE ACT OF TERRORISM OVER SYDNEY, WE HOPE NOT. BECAUSE OF THE INCREASED SIZE OF AIRCRAFT WE CALL ON THE PARLIAMENT TO TAKE THIS MATTER INTO CONSIDERATION IN REGARDS TO THIS IMPORTANT TREATY. WE SHOULD NOT GO DOWN TO INTERNATIONAL LEVELS OF SAFETY, THEY SHOULD COME UP TO OURS THE EXECUTIVE WISH TO THANK THE COMMITTEE FOR ALLOWING US TO COMMENT ON THIS TREATY.

YOURS IN PATRIOTISM.

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