

**Parliamentary Joint Committee on the
Australian Crime Commission**

Inquiry Into Cybercrime

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Ms Maureen Weeks
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Dear Ms Weeks

Thank you for your letter dated 11 April 2003 inviting the Council for Civil Liberties to make a submission to the PJC's enquiry into cybercrime.

We welcome the initiative of the PJC to enquire into recent trends in cybercrime techniques and practices.

At this stage, we would limit our comments to the following:

1. It is the view of the New South Wales Council for Civil Liberties that the existing legislative framework is sufficient to combat cybercrime.
2. Additional powers are not required.

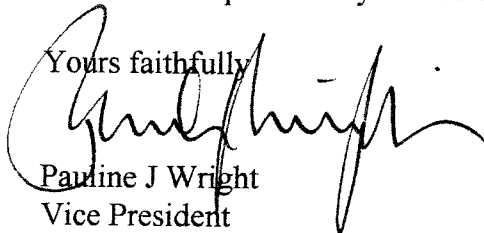
We would be happy to provide further comment on specific issues with reference to:

- a. Child pornography and associated peedophile activity.
- b. banking, including credit card fraud and money laundering; and
- c. Threats to national critical infrastructure

if they are raised by the ACC or other bodies.

We would be pleased if you would keep us informed.

Yours faithfully



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