

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I MERNA COMPTON (NEE HEGARTY) OF _____ CHERBOURG,
HEREBY STATE THAT I LIVED AND WORKED "UNDER THE ACT". MY WORK
INCLUDED:

CHERBOURG HOSPITAL (CASUAL)	DOMESTIC
WONDOAN (COCKATOO STATION)	DOMESTIC
TAROOM (CATTLE STATION)	DOMESTIC & MUSTERING

I ALONG WITH MANY OTHERS BELIEVE THAT I DID NOT RECEIVE FULL
WAGE ENTITLEMENTS OVER THE YEARS. ALSO MY LATE PARENTS AND
OTHER DECEASED SIBLINGS WERE ALSO VICTIMS OF THIS TIME. MY
GRANDPARENTS AND LATE FATHER WILLIAM HEGARTY WAS SENT TO DO
CANECUTTING AND OTHER JOBS. HE ALSO WORKED AS A POLICE OFFICER
AND CARPENTER IN CHERBOURG.

OUR MOTHER (DOREEN HEGARTY) NEE LANDERS WAS ALSO SENT OUT TO
VARIOUS WORK STATIONS IN THE EARLIER DAYS.

TO MY KNOWLEDGE THEY TOO DID NOT RECEIVE FULL AWARD WAGES,
OTHER BENEFITS SUCH AS PENSIONS, CHILD ENDOWMENT,
SUPERANNUATION, SICKNESS BENEFITS ETC.

TRUSTING THE GOVERNMENT WILL GIVE PROPER COMPENSATION TO
THOSE WHO WERE LIVED AND WORKED UNDER THE ABORIGINAL
PROTECTION ACT FROM 1897, 1939 TO 1965.

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