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Dear Mr Sibma

I am writing in relation to the recent correspondence from the Western Australian Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations which sought information from other Australian jurisdictions to inform the inquiry into the Western Australian Government's *Local Projects Local Jobs* program.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide a submission to the Committee's inquiry. I understand the Committee is inquiring into the program to consider how the Government's election commitments were funded and acquitted. The Victorian Government places a strong emphasis on ensuring financial probity and accountability for acquitting the government's priorities.

I acknowledge the importance of this inquiry in understanding how election commitments are administered by incoming or returning governments. However, I advise that Victoria is not in a position to provide a submission at this time.

I wish you all the best for a successful outcome from the inquiry.

Yours sincerely

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