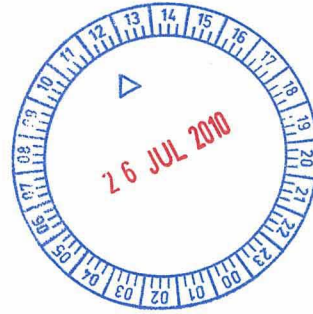


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14 July 2010

Hon Brian Ellis MLC
Chairman
Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs
Parliament House
PERTH WA 6000

Dear Sir

PETITION NO. 63 – INTERIM CARE CENTRE FOR ABUSED JUVENILES

I refer to your recent request for information in relation to the City's position on the proposed future use of a home recently purchased by the Department of Child Protection (DCP) in Kentia Loop, Wanneroo and provide the following information.

The City has reviewed the information provided by the DCP, the Department of Planning and subsequent legal advice received and have formed the view that the proposal would constitute a change of use requiring planning approval. On this basis, a report is presented to Council for consideration at their meeting on 27 July 2010, seeking their endorsement of this position.

Yours sincerely

Len Kosova
ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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