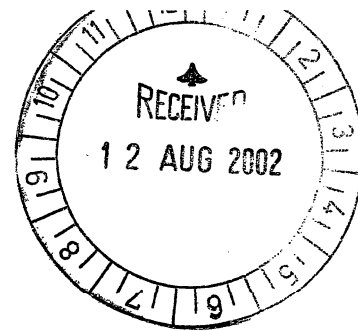




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Dear Mr Warner

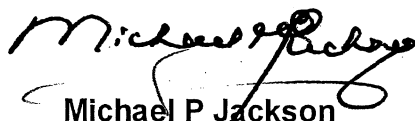
Thank you for your correspondence of 11 July 2002 with which you enclosed a transcript of evidence taken at Perth on Monday 8 July, 2002, Session 5 of the Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs concerning the Alcoa Alumina Refinery at Wagerup.

I return the transcript for Session 5 as requested with minor typographical amendments.

I refer to page seven, paragraph two, and the penultimate line quotes "our calculation from our evidence would be that perhaps in the order of 50 people in total are experiencing those symptoms". I have now had the opportunity to review the number of people concerned and it would be more accurate if the transcript were amended from 50 to read 15.

I trust that these comments are of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely


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