

9TH September, 2011

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Dear Members of the Senate Enquiry,

We have a small self managed super fund that have funds invested in Astarra – we were advised by Tarrants Financial Service whom have been under the scrutiny of local media in regards to their judgement in becoming involved in Astarra.

We read information supplied by Tarrants and believed that the regulatory bodies had conducted the necessary investigations into Astarra to invest our money.

We do not understand how the Government can refuse to compensate us because we are a self managed fund whilst other parties are compensated given the same regulatory bodies are responsible.

I look forward to your findings regarding the level of due diligence shown by the auditors and regulatory bodies that the Government have in place to protect against such fraudulent acts.

Kind Regards

Graeme and Dayna Bradley