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Ms Julie Bishop MP
Committee Chair
Joint Standing Committee on Treaties
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Ms Bishop

Thank you for your letter of 15 May 2003 regarding the proposed international agreements that are being reviewed by the Joint Standing Committee on Treaties.

Your letter invited comment on the following international agreements:

- Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for the Promotion and Protection of Investments;
- Agreement on Social Security between Australia and the Kingdom of Belgium;
- Agreement on Social Security between the Government of Australia and the Government of the Republic of Chile;
- Agreement on Social Security between the Government of Australia and the Government of the Republic of Slovenia;
- Amendments to the Annex to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974, including consideration and adoption of the International Ship and Port Facility Security (ISPS) Code;
- International Labour Organisation Conventions (proposed denunciations):
 - No. 83: Labour Standards (Non-Metropolitan Territories) Convention, 1947;
 - No. 85: Labour Inspectorates (Non-Metropolitan Territories) Convention, 1947; and
 - No. 86: Contracts of Employment (Indigenous Workers) Convention, 1947; and
- Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste relating to the Unitisation of the Sunrise and Troubadour Fields.

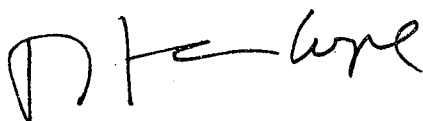
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The ACT will not be making a submission to the Committee on these matters at this time.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the international agreements under inquiry.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon Stanhope". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and a long horizontal stroke.

Jon Stanhope MLA
Chief Minister

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