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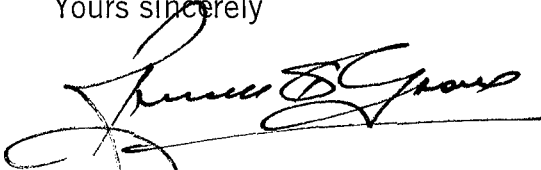
Dear Ms Gould

Thank you for your letter of 24 October 2003 addressed to the Speaker advising of the most recent tabling of treaties in the Parliament in Australia.

The opportunity for the Legislative Assembly to comment on treaties through the review process of the Joint Standing Committee on Treaties is greatly appreciated.

Notice of the tabling of treaties should also, as I am sure you already do, be forwarded to the Premier. As you would be aware in New South Wales the State position on any particular treaty is dealt with through The Cabinet Office and the Treaties Council, as the States have no constitutional role on treaty making.

Yours sincerely



Russell D. Grove
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly