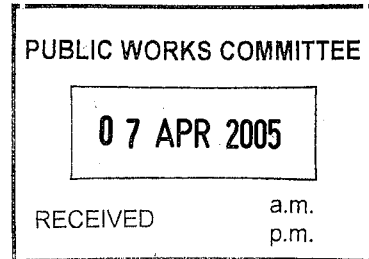




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The Hon Judi Moylan MP
Chair
Joint Standing Committee on Public Works
RG 31
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600



Dear Ms Moylan,

**DEVELOPMENT OF ON-BASE HOUSING FOR DEFENCE AT PUCKAPUNYAL
VICTORIA – SUBMISSION NO 2 DEFENCE FAMILIES OF ASUTRALIA**

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the submission from Defence Families of Australia (DFA).

The points raised by DFA highlight many of the matters which have been addressed in the DHA proposal to construct 80 new residences at Puckapunyal. DFA's support for the proposed DHA development is appreciated.

Yours sincerely,



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