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South Perth 6151.
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The Secretary
Joint Standing Committee on Treaties
Parliament House,
CANBERRA.

Dear Sir,

Re International Criminal Court

In this day and age there seems to be an unfortunate trend to International or UN laws which override the laws of individual countries. In a country such as Australia this would suggest that we are incapable of enacting adequate laws of our own. I was appalled that when in London recently, two convicted terrorists were unable to be deported as the judge, quoting European Union law yet to be promulgated, stated that deportation would infringe their 'human rights'!

Please do not surrender our sovereignty to the International Criminal Court, it would be unwarranted, unjustified, undemocratic and un- Australian.

Yours Faithfully,

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