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Joint Standing Committee on Treaties  
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Parliament House  
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BY: Gillian Gould

Dear Gillian

Your letter dated 31 July 2003 to our Chairman, Mr Nick Evers, has been referred to me for response.

TT-Line fully supports the upgrading of Maritime Security requirements. Our National Manager of Security and Risk has been working closely with DOTARS, the Melbourne Port corporation, Sydney Port Corporation, Port of Devonport Corporation and various police jurisdictions to develop and implement upgraded security risk assessments and plans for port facilities and vessels.

Our concern is to ensure that any legislation is sensible, practical and workable and meets the needs and requirements of the maritime environment.

To this end our representative is working with the industry body - the ASA, on the committee formulating an industry response to this legislation.

Yours sincerely

Peter Simmons  
Chief Executive

cc: Mr J Maxwell