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Mr J Carter Secretary Senate Employment, Workplace Relations & Education References Committee Suite SG.52, Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Mr Carter

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY INQUIRY

The Chamber of Commerce & Industry of WA (Inc) (CCI) wishes to make the following Submission to the Senate Employment, Workplace Relations & Education References Committee Inquiry into the *Building and Construction Industry Improvement Bill 2003* and related matters.

CCI in general supports the Submission made to the Senate Committee by the Australian Chamber of Commerce & Industry (ACCI).

CCI took an active interest in the Cole Royal Commission into the Building and Construction Industry and our Submission made to the Royal Commission are pertinent to the current Senate Committee's Inquiry.

Similarly CCI, in addition to supporting ACCI's Submission made to the Government in response to the Exposure Draft of the *Building and Construction Industry Improvement Bill 2003*, made a separate Submission which is also relevant to the Senate Committee's current inquiry.

Accordingly, please find attached the Submissions previously made by CCI to the Cole Royal Commission and to the Government, respectively marked Attachment A and Attachment B.

Should the Senate Committee require any further information regarding CCI's views please contact the undersigned on (08) 9365 7599 or email: <u>Williams@cciwa.com</u>

Yours sincerely

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