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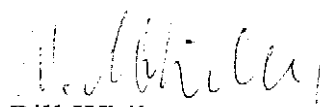
Mr Jonathan Curtis
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Select Committee on Medicare
Parliament House
CANBERRA 2600

Dear Mr Curtis

This organisation fully supports the submission to the Senate Select Committee on Medicare by the Combined Pensioners and Superannuants Association of NSW Inc. (508 28)

We would like to emphasise that the inclusion of dental care into Medicare is an extremely important issue and nobody has been able to explain to us why the mouth is excluded from the rest of the body when it comes to health-related issues.

Yours sincerely


Bill Whiley
State Secretary