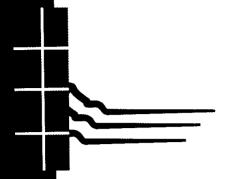
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Mr Sebastian Roberts
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Ref: \$52a April 7, 2003

Dear Mr Roberts

Council has resolved to write to you supporting the submission of AgForce Queensland dated March 20, 2003, which raises serious concerns that the review of the regulatory test has not adequately recognised the adverse affects in terms of social and economic costs of the construction of new overhead electricity transmission lines.

Council also has concerns that the least cost solution does not take into account the social and economic costs to individuals and communities and supports AgForce Queensland in their request for the ACCC to include the total cost to effected parties.

Yours faithfully

RM GURNEY

Acting Chief Executive Officer

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