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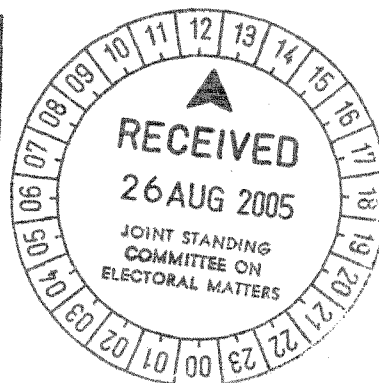
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Joint Standing Committee on Electoral Matters
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Re: Inquiry into 2004 Federal Election

Dear Stephen

Thank you for the draft record of the transcript.

Some of the grammar attributed to me seems improbable but I suspect it is a correct transcript and none of it changes the thrust of my response. On EM33 I am quoted as mentioning an around the world race. It was an across the USA race. I might add that he came sixth although I did say twelfth.

There were several areas where I indicated I might be able to provide additional information for the Committee.

- I indicated (EM20) that I had submitted all the Electoral Commission reports for the Western Australian candidates. That was an error. There was one Western Australian candidate who submitted their own report.
- I can confirm that appropriate taxation forms were completed for all of the booth workers at the Brand federal election in which I was a candidate (EM25).
- In my absence a comment (EM45) was made about the fact that I had not seen the New South Wales how-to-vote card that I had authorised. I fail to understand the intention of the question. I doubt that the authoriser of the Liberal Party how-to-vote cards had seen every how-to-vote card. I was of course aware of the content of the card which I authorised.
- On EM38 I indicated that I might be able to comment on the suggestions from Senator Murray about a variation on the Senate voting system that he suggested. I am afraid I am still unable to understand the proposal and have not yet received any further information to assist.

Yours sincerely,


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