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Dear Ms MacGregor

The Minister for Industry, Science and Resources, Senator the Hon Nick Minchin, has asked me to thank you for your letter of 6 July 2001, concerning the repeal of Section 17 of the Australian Citizenship Act 1948.

As this matter lies within the portfolio responsibilities of the Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs, I have forwarded your correspondence to the Hon Philip Ruddock MP for his consideration.

Yours sincerely

*Chris Matthews*

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