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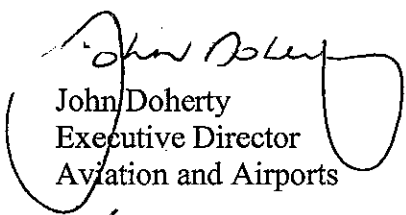
Senator Marise Payne
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Dear Senator Payne

Thank you for your letter of 5 October 2007 to the Hon Mark Vaile MP, the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Transport and Regional Services concerning the outcomes of the 51st meeting of the Sydney Airport Community Forum (SACF). The Minister was unable to reply to your letter before the election announcement and has asked the Department to reply on his behalf.

The Department is very appreciative of your efforts in leading SACF and your summary of issues from the 51st Forum meeting. The matters raised in your letter will be taken up with the incoming Government.

Yours sincerely



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