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Attention : Mr Greg Watkinson.

**Re the Inquiry on School Bus Operators' Charter Bus Operations .**

Dear Sir,

On behalf of my self as secretary of the Capel Chamber of Commerce (Inc.) I wish to make the following submission to the Inquiry on School Bus Operators' Charter Bus Operations :

I object about the short time for submissions on this inquiry because I did not receive advice about same till 15th February 2007 leaving only 11 days to make the submission but our next meeting is not till 13th March 2007. I realize that the date on the notice was the 30th January 2007 but I still regard 26 days as a very short time for a submission to occur. My personal opinion is that the impact on organizations in small country towns such as Capel would be significant as they would have to hire buses from larger towns at a much higher cost plus additional cost to travel to Capel to commence the charter trip.

I realize that this is only my personal thoughts but I hope you will consider same.

Yours faithfully,

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Clyde Carruthers  
Secretary.