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Dear Mr McLeay

I refer to your letter of 20 August 2008 regarding the DPC response to the Auditor General's Report on Government Advertising. I understand that you have written in similar terms to the Director General, Department of Commerce.

I understand that the substantive response from the Department of Commerce (DOC) will update the Committee on the status of each of the recommendations for which DOC has full or partial responsibility.

I can advise you that, in relation to campaign documentation being available for Cabinet deliberations, this recommendation has been implemented.

Please contact me on 9228 3096 if you have any enquiries.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Graeme Head". Below the signature, the date "12.11.08" is written.

Graeme Head
Deputy Director General