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INQUIRY INTO DENTAL SERVICES IN NSW

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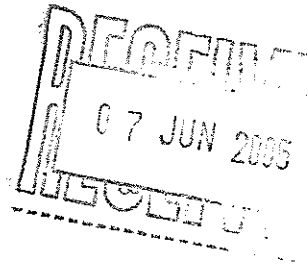
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MR. J. PARR.



Dear Thomas George.

Thank you for forwarding the letter, Barry o'Farrel. My dear wife Elizabeth, has been waiting since Sept 2003. To have her bottom denture which is cracked, to be repaired or replaced. Also the tops of her teeth are chipping away. My wife is 67 years old, has a lot of problems with her health but never complains. This is our second marriage for both of us, I know of the very hard life she, and her brother & sister have had. Also the fact that she brought up 9 children on her own for 24 years. Also taking in foster children, until we got married. But to see her suffer like this, is very hard for me to take. I also have dental problems, the dentist seems to be only able to spend 10 to 15 minutes at the most. My main concern is infection, with having heart problems.

I don't blame the dentist, he has a great deal of problems, trying to care for everyone. For Bob Carr not to realise that this is a state problem, only confirms what I think of him as a leader of this state. Prime Minister of Australia I think not, if you cannot run a state, how can you possibly think of running the country. Any thing about Newcastle, does not come in to his thinking. I quite honestly believe we would be better off being part of Queensland, a lot of my friends think the same way. According to Bob Carr and his Minister, were a foreign country. I must thank you for all your help, and understanding of the year. I really do appreciate the help you have give me.

Yours sincerely
Gae. Carr