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**GEORGINA BEATTIE  
DIRECTOR  
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GPO BOX 543 I  
SYDNEY NSW 2001**

Dear M/s Beattie,

**RE: REVIEW INTO LICENSING OF SELECTED OCCUPATIONS**

I have enclosed a submission from this Institute related to the specific area of "Motor Vehicle Repairer".

Our submission on this matter is brief due to the limited time available following the release of the discussion paper.

Our organisation has a membership of over 20,000 tradesmen and apprentices employed in the automotive service and repair industry. Over 10,000 of these members reside in New South Wales.

We strongly urge that the NSW licensing regime for motor vehicle repairers be retained. Should you require further information related to this submission or wish to discuss any aspect please do not hesitate to make contact.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Frank R. Burgess", is written over a blue circular stamp or seal.

**FRANK R. BURGESS, A.M.**

Chief Executive Officer