## Terms of Reference: F – Submission

Dear Dr Schott,

We have been meeting with the ARTC for over 5 years regarding the part acquisition of our property.

We received the Letter of Offer in Nov 2021. There are still many of our questions unanswered concerning the Rail Corridor through our property. We have not received a detailed design and without that the ARTC are unable to answer these questions. ARTC are still wanting to get valuers in for a valuation on the property. We feel this is putting pressure on us to get the acquisition done without giving us answers to our questions.

We feel that acquisition should not be pursued until a detailed design is finalized.

The whole process has been a terrible experience for our family. We understand this is a major project. The whole process of acquisition and answering the questions of the landholder concerned has not been to the standard that you would expect from a Federal Government organization.

Regards,

Tony and Kylie Dampney
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