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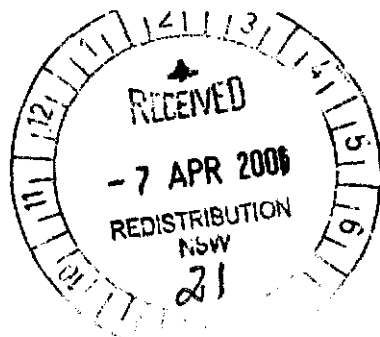
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Dear Sir/Madam

Please find to follow the letter mailed to you on Wednesday 5 April concerning a proposal to include Lord Howe Island within the Federal Division of Lyne.

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on 6581 8524

Yours faithfully

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5 April 2006

NSW Redistribution Committee  
Electoral Commissioner  
State Electoral Office  
GPO Box 832  
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Dear Sir/Madam,

I write in support of the proposal put forward to include Lord Howe Island within the Federal Division of Lyne as part of the redistribution process taking place in New South Wales.

At present, Lord Howe Island is part of the State Electorate of Port Macquarie and there are many linkages between the Island and our community.

School students from Lord Howe Island study at a number of our schools, goods and services are provided to the Island from Port Macquarie via weekly private charter flights, ABC Radio Port Macquarie broadcasts to the Island, commercial flights are expected to begin shortly between Port Macquarie and Lord Howe Island, and the Lord Howe Island Trading Company has signalled its intention to the NSW Government that it will be moving its operation from the Port of Yamba to Port Macquarie.

I believe that if Lord Howe Island were to be included in the Federal Division of Lyne under the same representation, it would further strengthen the economic and social links between our two communities.

Your favourable consideration of this proposal would be appreciated.

Yours faithfully

**ROB DREW**  
Mayor