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Queensland Redistribution Committee GPO Box 2590 Brisbane 4001 Tuesday, May 5, 2009

Dear Sir Madam,

We understand that you are considering names for the Electorate of St George. We would like to nominate F/Sgt Len Waters for your consideration.

Len Waters was a member of RAAF No 78 Kittyhawk Fighter Squadron and was the only Aboriginal pilot ever for the RAAF. Len flew Kittyhawks in combat missions in defense of Australia over the skies of the then Dutch New Guinea, now western Irian Jaya, Indonesia.

Len piloted A29-575 "Black Magic". We feel his nomination would be fitting to have an electorate named in his honour.

Yours sincerely Rod Keady

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