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Your ref. CEO47/15

Dear Jason

Thank you for your letter of 4th February regarding the Alcoa Wagerup NAP. It was pleasing to see that W A Government Departments have found a new range of technical and impressive words to replace the now overused “Topography” and “Prevailing Weather Patterns” used till now to impress we simple folk.

So disregarding the contents of the first 3 paragraphs, (which I have passed on to a code breaker for interpretation, *Light humour*), I will comment on the rest of your reply and begin with your reference to results from Logger 1 as being of interest.

According to the plans contained in your report, Logger 1 was located to the north of Franklin Road amongst some woodland and quite some distance to the North East of our former home. That discrepancy aside it seems to have had a run of bad luck with corrupted data and equipment failure.

The nearest readings shown on your plans appear to be Hand Held readings at Pt1 & Pt2 still quite some distance from our location to the South West and across the rail line from Alcoa, which showed up 34dB and 32dB respectively.

At 7.2 of the report it states that “The model is at best an approximation of the real world situation” and “accurate to +or- 5dB”. **Making the Pt1 39dB perhaps?
So are they likely to be more variable further from the source?**

Re Comment 2, Para 1, you state that at the time of Mr MacPherson’s visit, the then DEC did not consider the noise emissions exceeded 35dB (A) at our residence and that view “was based on modeled results and validation measurements made previously” Which were later reaffirmed by the Dept. in 2012.

Can you please provide copies of the then available (Oct 2007) data including both modeling and actual measurements taken at or very close to the location in question?

Re Comment 2,Para 3. To clarify your understanding in the last line, Mr. Macpherson and Mr. Lindsay Gillam of DoH who brought him along, did not suggest some treatments to reduce noise levels, they offered them, even though they would have been quite inadequate and we had already incorporated some of them when we remodeled the house.

Re Comment 4, You have still failed to answer the question raised , which was to remind you, **Please advise, how Landgate would know the reason for any sale, anywhere under the ALCOA LMP, when no one was required to give one?**

It is sincerely hoped that on this occasion you will finally be able to provide the requested information and advise us on all of the above matters, thus eliminating your need for further correspondence.

Thanking you for your attention and in anticipation of an earl and favorable reply.

Yours sincerely

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