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National Workers' Compensation and Occupational Health & Safety Frameworks

The Inquiry might like to take note of the ACT's newly passed legislation on Industrial Manslaughter, to take effect 1 March 2004. Cuttings from the Canberra Chronicle of 2.12.3 are attached.

The Inquiry should also take note of attempts by the Australian Hotels Association and others to subvert attempts to insure that hospitality workers have a smokefree work place. Cutting from Canberra Chronicle of 2.12..3 attached.

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