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cc Ms Robby McGarvey  
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Dear Chief Minister

**MANUKA OCCASIONAL CHILDCARE CENTRE (MOCCA)**

Thank you for taking the time to meet with The Kingston and Barton Residents' Group (KBRG), the Griffith Narrabundah Community Association (GNCA) and the Inner South Canberra Community Council (ISCCC) on 26 May.

During our conversation you mentioned that as the Canberra Services' Club has relocated to a temporary location in Barton and still owns its original site there is no requirement for MOCCA to relocate to an alternate site, and that any decision to move would consequently be one to be taken solely by the MOCCA Board.

We are writing to confirm this advice, as MOCCA is still of the understanding there is a requirement for them to relocate in 2020.

Noting that the ACT Government has funded a KPMG report to provide MOCCA with financial advice about possible future options, can the ACT Government provide assurances that if MOCCA:

- Chooses to remain on its current site,
  - there will be no short (2020) or medium term pressure to relocate;
  - existing Government financial support and arrangements for MOCCA will continue unchanged;
- Is required to relocate, it is not financially disadvantaged as a result of any such move;  
and

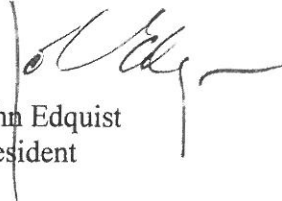
- Is relocated, there would be no change to the current Community Facility zoning of Blocks 2 and 5, Section 41 Griffith, so that these blocks would remain available for as yet unidentified uses to support the growing needs of the Inner South as the population increases.

We look forward to your views on these issues.

Yours sincerely



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President  
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