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Mrs Serena Kay 31 Sandon Road THORNLIE

Dear Serena

I am writing to congratulate all concerned with the recent Intervarsity Choral Festival in Perth.

It was the continuation of the fine tradition in Australia of bringing together University students from all over the country to devote themselves to making music at a very high level. It is a tradition which I hope will last for many years, and I know that the Music Board of the Australia Council rates it highly. I have already conveyed my impressions of the event to the Music Board, letting them know that the performance of African Sanctus was, in my opinion, one of the most exciting and brilliant choral performances I have heard - a real Festival event in the full meaning of the word. Singers were introduced to other works - like the Scarlatti Stabat Mater - which, but for Intervarsity, they probably would not have experienced.

Again, hearty congratulations upon Intervarsity in Perth and I would appreciate it if you passed on my letter to your various sponsors who should be very gratified at having been associated with such an event.

Yours sincerely

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