

7th May, 1976.

Consultative Committee on
Ethnic Broadcasting,
P.O. Box E202,
CANBERRA ACT 2600.

Our ref: B/A
Attention: Mr. I. K. Lindenmayer

Dear Sir,

We are the Solicitors for a group of leading citizens with an Italian background, the leader of whom is Mrs. Gustin, more commonly known as Mamma Lena, whose answers to the questionnaire we enclose.

In addition to the answers we have provided herein we are instructed to add that should a possibility be given to the Italian community per the present Committee, we point out that the key to the organisation in so far as management will be Mr. Phillip Geeves the ex-manager of ethnic programmes on 2CH, the Sydney radio station. Mr. Geeves has had over twenty years experience in ethnic broadcasting and has worked in close co-operation with Mrs. Gustin. Mrs Gustin herself has had her own programme on 2KY for a considerable time. Her husband has had also considerable experience in the promotional and organisational field. Past experience in ethnic broadcasting indicates that an income of half a million dollars from the Italian ^{AND GREEK} community is quite feasible.

We further indicate that should your committee be desirous to discuss the matter further with Mr. Phillip Geeves he may be contacted at 247 Woniara Road, Blakehurst, telephone: 546 7438.

We also point out that we ourselves on behalf of the present Clients have in the past communicated both with the Prime Minister and the Minister for post and telecommunications in relations to the possibility of obtaining a public broadcasting license on behalf of the Italian Community.

The writer himself has had extensive dealings in the organisation and research into community broadcasting and has also considered the legal aspects in relation to radio stations on a community basis.

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