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**Subject:** FW: Letter to Minister  
**Attachments:** 20220706 - Signed Letter to the Minister for Police re Adelaide Oval Liquor Licence Variation.pdf

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Please find attached PASA's response to the introduction of cans at Adelaide Oval, which was discussed at the Executive level of the Police Federation of Australia.

We understand AOSMA will make an approach to the CBS Commissioner to have the matter brought on earlier, currently set for 26 July.

I will keep you posted on further developments.

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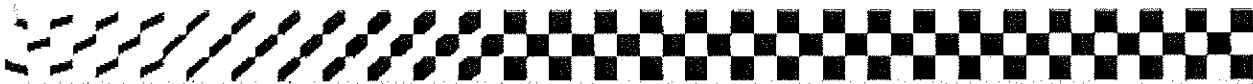
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Hi Greg – as discussed.

I will put forward our final submissions to CBS tomorrow and forward a copy to Matt NAIRN.

Cheers, Mark

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Dear Minister

Adelaide Oval SMA Limited has applied to amend its liquor licence and allow for the sale of alcohol in aluminium cans.

The Police Association opposes this amendment and SAPOL is likely to do the same.

At an executive meeting on Wednesday 29 June, the Police Federation of Australia highlighted its opposition to the sale of aluminium cans at *all* Australian stadiums.

The PFA represents more than 65,000 police officers in Australia.

The association's opposition to the move puts the safety of police, emergency services personnel, and the general public as a priority.

Patrons often use aluminium cans as dangerous projectiles in an attempt to seriously injure police officers, emergency services personnel, other patrons and players.

We know this from experience.

It would be a retrograde step to revert back to the sale of aluminium cans at Adelaide Oval.

The association urges you to confirm your opposition to the SMA's licencing variation.

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Cc: Commissioner of Police