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Sent: Monday, 9 May 2016 4:10 PM
To: Belinda & Peter Clarkson <pbclarkson@bigpond.com>
Subject: Automatic reply: "...necessary for community safety..."

Thank you for your email. I appreciate you taking the time to contact me.

As I receive many emails each day, I am not able to respond personally to every email I receive.

I give priority to emails from my constituents in the electorate of Cook and seek to respond within a reasonable timeframe.

If you are a constituent with an urgent query, I would ask you to call my Electorate Office on 9523-0339. If the email you have sent me does not make it clear that you are a Shire resident and Cook constituent, you may wish to resend it with your street address included under your name.

If your enquiry relates to my Ministerial responsibilities please call my Parliament House office on 02-6277-7340 or submit your message at - <http://sjm.ministers.treasury.gov.au/contact/>

Frequently I receive 'campaign' emails – that is, emails concerning a particular policy issue, containing standard wording, which are sent to me by many people, typically as part of a campaign coordinated by a particular interest group.

This of course is a normal and appropriate part of the democratic process, and is an important means by which community sentiment on a particular issue is communicated to politicians. Generally, I do not respond directly to such emails (although I certainly see them and take note of them.)

Instead, I would encourage you to visit my website at <http://www.scottmorrison.com.au> where I post the responses to campaign emails under Constituent Services 'frequently asked questions' ([FAQ](#)). (If you find that I have not yet posted an answer on the issue of concern to you, by all means send me an email in your own words to point this out, and I will seek to post an answer as quickly as possible.)

While you are on my website – please take a moment to complete my [survey](#) and tell me the issues which are important to you.

Once again, thank you for contacting me, and where appropriate I will be back in touch within a reasonable timeframe with a more detailed response.

With best wishes,

Scott

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