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Dear Mr Hutton

A.C.C. CLAIMS RELEVANT TO CIVIC CHILDCARE CENTRE

Martin Maguire (Senior Community Development Adviser) of our staff has recently been in discussion with several parents who wished to make claims on the Corporation in relation to the Civic Childcare inquiry. These claims relate to time off their paid work to attend interviews, court proceedings and briefings.

When they have been referred to your local office the parents have been advised that it is unable to give any indication if their claims will be accepted. This is apparently because the ACC has yet to confirm new regulations (promised for July) concerning this type of claim.

We are concerned that the lack of such regulations is causing unnecessary distress to parents and families who are under considerable pressure already arising from the events themselves.

We are led to believe that you can assist from Head Office, and we would be grateful if you could give some positive advice in this connection to the local office of the ACC.

Please address any reply to this fax to Martin Maguire, Christchurch City Council.