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## TASMANIAN ABORIGINAL EDUCATION CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE.

Documents relating to sacking of TAECC by Minister for Education, Tasmania. 1983-84. Typescript (processed).  
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The Tasmanian Aboriginal Education Consultative Committee was established by election in 1979 to advise the Director-General of Education on the education and training of Aboriginal people. Funding was successfully sought from the Schools Commission for operating costs for three years. Terms of reference were approved by the Director-General after the second Committee meeting in 1979. After Schools Commission funding ceased in early 1982 the Committee approached the Tasmanian Department of Education to fund the cost of elections. This request failed and elections were held without the support of the Department. In June 1983 the Minister for Education dismissed the Committee and drew up guidelines for a new advisory body. Elections were held and the Tasmanian Aboriginal Education Advisory Council came into existence.

I. Correspondence 1983-84

	<u>Item No.</u>
Letter from E.M. Bingham, Minister for Education to J. Sculthorpe dated 8 June 1983, [2] l.	1
Letter from J. Sculthorpe to Director-General of Education dated 7 July 1983, 2 l.	2
Letter from J. Sculthorpe to P. Hughes, Chairman, N.A.E.C. dated 25 Aug. 1983, 3 l.	3
Letter from K. Randriamahefa to C. Holding, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs dated 25 Aug. 1983, 2 l.	4
Letter from H. Sculthorpe to Chairman, N.A.E.C., n.d., [4] l.	5
Letter from K. Randriamahefa to C. Holding, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs dated 28 Oct. 1983 and enclosing copy of letter from Chief Electoral Officer, Hobart, listing election results for T.A.E.A.C., 4 l.	6
Letter from M.L. Delphin, Chairman, T.A.E.A.C. to D. Kidney, Regional Director, Department of Aboriginal Affairs, Melbourne dated 14 June 1984, 2 l.	7
Letter from J. Sculthorpe to Senator Susan Ryan, Federal Minister for Education dated 3 Sept. 1984, [1] l.	8
Letter from K. Brown to Senator Susan Ryan, Federal Minister for Education dated 10 Sept. 1984, [1] l.	9
Letter from K.J. Everett, Tasmanian Member, Aboriginal Arts Board to Senator Susan Ryan, Federal Minister for Education dated 13 Sept. 1984, [1] l.	10
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- B. Tasmanian Government Papers.
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  - ii Government of Tasmania. Policy on Aboriginal education, June 1983, 3 l. 17
  - iii Bingham, E.M. Tasmanian Aboriginal Education Advisory Council : guidelines, 7 June 1983, 4 l. 18
  - iv Bingham, E.M. Tasmanian Aboriginal Education Advisory Council : guidelines, 9 Aug. 1983, [4] l. 19
  - v Lindsay, Brian. Tasmanian Aboriginal Education Advisory Council [brief to Chairman], 31 Oct. 1983, 2 l. 20
- C. Submissions.
- Tasmanian Aboriginal Education Consultative Committee. Submission for operational costs. [1983?] 18 l. 21
- D. Newspaper articles.
- Photocopies from [Hobart] Mercury, one dated 3 June 1983 22-24

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