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The Hon. Mr. E. Walker, M.L.C.
Shadow Minister for Conservation
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Dear Sir,

The Mountain District Cattlemen's Association are anxious that as many members of Parliament, as soon as possible, take the opportunity to examine for themselves, the situation that exists in the mountain grazing areas of Victoria.

With this in mind we would like to escort you and several of your colleagues on a Tour of Inspection of the Victorian Eastern Highlands during the months of January or February 1982 when conditions are most suitable for such an inspection.

We would be pleased to hear if you consider this feasible, and, if so, I would again make contact with you to arrange the details.

As we see it, the ideal itinerary would be for you and your party to fly by light aircraft (if practicable) to and from Benambra then the following alternatives may be adopted:-

- a) OVER TWO DAYS
Day I - Tour of sub-alpine areas, and
Day II - Tour of contentious Bogong High Plains, or
- b) OVER ONE DAY
Tour of either of these areas.

Your serious consideration of this proposal would be appreciated and we therefore, look forward to your early reply.

Yours faithfully,

JAMES A. COMMINS