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Leo:

Please allow the reject poles to remain where they are until I return in October. If you cannot sell them to Campell; you may be able to cut them up and sell them to me for posts and anchor logs.

I'll buy from you the pair of pole climbing spurs and linemans safety belt for your cost of £17/-/-

Grote Reber
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## COMMONWEALTH SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH ORGANIZATION

## TASMANIAN REGIONAL LABORATORY

TELEPHONES: 2 2786, 2 2787

15th August 1962

"STOWELL". STOWELL AVENUE. HOBART, TAS.

To whom it may concern:

Mr. Lee B. Jeffries, as contractor has recently completed a radio astronomy installation at Dennistoun near Bothwell, Tasmania. The work consisted of securing and erecting 128 poles each 77 feet long plus numerous short posts and overhead trusses and stays. Several hundred crossarms, insulators, pulleys, counterweights, fortysevem miles of wire plus about one hundred each line transformers and antenna coupler boxes were all properly attached to the poles, posts and trusses and connected in an appropriate manner.

The entire installation bears some resemblance to both power lines and telephone lines but is in detail rather different from each. This installation was completed in a good and satisfactory manner for the intended radio astronomy purposes.

Anyone desiring to inspect the installation and examine the details and workmanship may do so by making arrangements with the undersigned at the address on letterhead.

Grote Reber

Radio Physicist and Engineer

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I have received from Grote Reber on 14th August 1962 the sum of £886 itemized below.

| Contract<br>Item | Work Description  | Sums                         | Totals |
|------------------|---|------------------------------|--------|
| 1.               | Final ten percent   |                              | £35    |
| 2.               | Final ten percent   |                              | 10     |
| 3.               | Final ten percent   |                              | 5      |
| 40               | Final ten percent   |                              | 10     |
| 5.               | Final ten percent Extra dress poles on ground Special dragging poles Pole climbing spurs Rigger dress poles in air        | £40<br>100<br>48<br>18<br>12 | 218    |
| 6.               | Final ten percent<br>Hire of water pump   | £120<br>                     | 190    |
| 7.               | Final ten percent<br>Special truss over south ramp  | £40<br>                      | 45     |
| 8.               | Final ten percent Extra half ten of cement Extra three yards of crushed stone Clamps for top of forms Cartage from Hobart | £25<br>8<br>10<br>5<br>10    | 58     |
| 9.               | Final Payment   |                              | 230    |
| 10.              | Final ten percent   |                              | 15     |
| 11.              | Final ten percent   |                              | 40     |
| 12.              | The completion sum is covered by advance made on 4th July 1962 Extra hire of front end loader and tip                     |                              | ау 30  |
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The above covers final work on contract dated 7th December 1961 and L. B. Jeffries, Contractor comprises payment in full.

The work described by specification of contract dated 7th December 1961 has been completed in a satisfactory manner within the meaning of this contract. The contractor is hereby releived of any further responsibility.

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Leo:

Enclosed are two copies of a paper which fermally closes up our contract dated 7th December 1961. Please sign and return one copy to me at C.S.I.R.O.

Also enclosed is a memorandum describing the work you performed. I hope it will be of as much service to you as the installation will be to me.

It was a pleasant association.

Best regards

Trote Reber

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I have received from Grote Reber the following sums for work satisfactorily performed on contract dated 7th December 1961 as described below.

Date Received Work Description Sums Totals
27/6/62 Item 10, part payment £135/-/Item 11, part payment £360/-/-

£495/-/-

4/7/62

Retainer on account during winter period when no work can be done. Contract completion date extended

to 30/11/62, Trote /

£100/-/-

L. B. Jeffries

Contractor

I have received from Grote Reber the following sums for work satisfactorily performed on contract dated 7th December 1961 as described below.

| Date Received | Work Description     | Sums Totals          |
|---------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 12/2/62       | Item 8, part payment | £225/-/- £225/-/-    |
| 27/3/62       | Item 5, part payment | £360/-/-             |
|               | Item 6, part payment | 810/-/-              |
| F 7 5         | Item 7, part payment | 360/-/-              |
|               |                      | £1530/-/-            |
| 7/5/62        | Item 1, part payment | £65/-/-              |
|               | Item 3, part payment | 45/-/-               |
|               | Item 6, part payment | 270/-/-              |
|               | Item 9, part payment | 270/-/-              |
|               |                      | £650/-/ <del>-</del> |
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Note: On a previous receipt the sum of 690/-/- received on 17/1/62 listed as "part payment item 3" should read "part payment item 4".

L. B. Jeffres

Contractor

I have received from Grote Reber the following sums for work satisfactorily performed as described below.

| Date<br>Received | Contract<br>Date              | Work description   | Sum        |
|------------------|-------------------------------|--|------------|
| 16/11/61         | 5/10/61                       | Part payment item 1  | £510/-/-   |
| 5/12/61          | 7/12/61                       | Part payment item 1  | £250/-/-   |
| 22/12/61         | 5/10/61                       | Part payment item 1  | £590/-/-   |
| 17/1/62          | 7/12/61                       | Item 2 in full Part payment item 2 Part payment item 3 4  90/-/-                 |            |
| 22/1/62          | 5/10/61<br>5/10/61<br>5/10/61 | Remainder on item 1 Two extra 77 ft poles Item 3 in full  £200/-/- 20/-/- 72/10/ |            |
|                  |                               | Total  | £2014/10/- |

Leo B. Jeffries

Bothwell. 23/8/62. We Keber. Dear Sir, Mase find enclosed Signed copy of completion of contract. Thanking your once again for the opportunity of assisting in this project: I hope if turns out to be as successful as you auticipate. Spung feithfully. L. D. Jefria.