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Dear WICEN Members,

At last night's meeting of the WICEN Committee of Management, we continued the discussion of our response to the WIA's announcements regarding their RAVEN emergency communications programme. Actions we decided on were:

- Continue to recognise the WIA Cert II qualification, and encourage WICEN members who wish to undergo the training to do so.
- As part of the current review of WICEN training, identify the elements of WICEN's training that holders of the WIA Cert II would be exempted from.
- Continue to liaise as closely as possible, and at all levels, with other Victorian Emergency Management agencies.
- Continue with the review and delivery of WICEN training. (The review is expected to be completed this month.)
- In general, continue to work to improve WICEN's capabilities, and relationships with the other agencies

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Regards,

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