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WAR SERVICE HOMES BRANCH
THE GRACE BUILDING
77 YORK STREET
SYDNEY, N.S.W. 2000

14 November 1967.

The Secretary,
Department of Air,
CANBERRA. A.C.T. 2600

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Prev. Corres: Nil

Subject: A32442 F. Sgt. J. Fordyce

The abovenamed member has made a general inquiry relative to his eligibility for assistance under the provisions of the War Service Homes Act.

To enable the matter to be further considered it would be appreciated if you could furnish me with a statement of the member's service, together with details of his overseas service.

It is understood the member may have been allotted for 'special duty' in a 'special area' within the meaning of Section 12 of the Repatriation (Special Overseas Service) Act 1962-1965.

If so, I would appreciate it if you could advise me as follows:

- (a) The date on which the member or his unit was allotted for 'special duty' in a 'special area'.
- (b) Whether the member was inside or outside Australia at the operative date on which he or his unit was allotted for 'special service'
- (c) If the member was in Australia at the date on which he or his unit was allotted for 'special service' the date on which he left the last port of call in Australia.
- (d) The date on which the period of 'special service' of the member or his unit ended.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF WAR SERVICE HOMES

11.7.52.

Inquiry see over for Refusal

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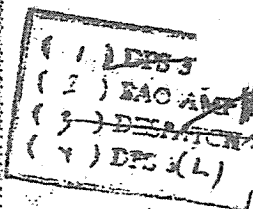
Deputy Director
War Service Homes Branch
GPO Box 1504
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Re: A32442 FSGT FORDYCE J.
No 37 SQUADRON RAAF BASE RICHMOND NSW
Your G4030 14th November 1967

1. The following particulars are advised:-

<u>Enlisted:</u>	2nd February 1948
<u>Overseas Service:</u>	No 78 Wing MALTA from 21st June 1952 to 19th February 1955.
<u>Service:</u>	Satisfactory, member still serving.
2. The member was not allotted for "special service" in a "special area" as defined in Section 12 of the Repatriation (Special Overseas Service) Act 1962-65.

(A. B. McFarlane)
SECRETARY



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