



**PRIME MINISTER**

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The Prime Minister has received representation from the Premier of Western Australia, Sir Charles Court, seeking Commonwealth intervention in legal action to prevent the Australian Meat Industry Employees Union from continuing bans on the export of live sheep from Western Australia.

The Prime Minister said his Government will do everything it can to support the Western Australian Government in this matter, and suggested officials of the two Governments get together as soon as possible to work out a course of action.

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