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ADDENDUM

CENSUS 86 — STANDARD TABLES ON MAGNETIC TAPE

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- PHONE INQUIRIES • *for more information about standard tables on magnetic tape—contact Information Services on Canberra (062) 52 5848 or any of our State offices.*
- *other inquiries including copies of publications—contact Information Services on Canberra (062) 52 6627 or any of our State offices.*
- MAIL INQUIRIES • *write to Information Services, ABS, P.O. Box 10, Belconnen, A.C.T. 2616 or any of our State offices.*
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In addition to the small area summary files listed in the above information paper, the ABS is now planning to release a postcode summary file containing 46 summary tables on selected characteristics of persons, families and dwellings in every postcode area (approximations) in Australia. This file is compiled on the basis of enumeration, and occupies one reel of magnetic tape at either packing density (63 RPmm (1600 BPI) or 246 RPmm (6250 BPI)).

If you wish to order the postcode summary file (CPCSF) use either of the standard order forms PC86/4 or PC86/5 (located on pages 27 and 31) and simply add, after the CUCSF in Section 1 of the form, an extra tick box and write "CPCSF Reel 1 Australia", i.e. add:



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The file will be accompanied by a technical paper *Census 86 — Postcode Summary File: Technical Details* (2613.0) which provides computer programmers with the technical information necessary to process the file.

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