



Australian Government
Department of Social Services

Senator Wendy Askew
Chair
Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee
Senate
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Senator

**Correction to an answer provided at the 2021-22 Supplementary Estimates
Hearing on 28 October 2021**

I am writing to correct evidence provided to the Committee during its examination of the Social Services Portfolio in relation to Outcome 2.

In answering a question from Senator Janet Rice regarding the cashless debit card data collection contract with Deloitte, I said:

“The contract number is CN37883966. The maximum contract value is \$674,830.”

I would like to correct the statement by changing it to:

“The contract number is CN3783966, and the contract value is \$674,889.60.”

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mary McLarty', written in a cursive style.

Mary McLarty
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29 November 2021