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Ms Jeanette Radcliffe Committee Secretary Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Ms Radcliffe

Inquiry into the Social Security Legislation Amendment (Community Development Program) Bill 2018

I am writing to correct evidence provided to the Committee during its public hearing in Canberra on Friday 21 September 2018.

In answering a question from Senator Malarndirri McCarthy, I said 'We have 30 providers, including two local councils that are majority Indigenous representation. It's 37 per cent providers in total.' (Hansard, Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee, Public Hearing, 21 September 2018, Proof Copy, page 56).

However, the response should be 'We have 32 providers, including three local councils that are majority Indigenous representation. It's 40 providers in total.'

I would greatly appreciate if you could note this response in the corrected Hansard.

Yours sincerely

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