



Australian Government



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Ms Lyn Beverley  
Committee Secretary  
The Senate  
Parliament House  
Canberra ACT 2600

Dear Ms Beverley

I am writing in relation to a clarification that I seek to make to the evidence that I gave during Tourism Australia's hearing at the 2018/19 Additional Estimates on 21 February 2019.

During the hearing I stated: "Bear in mind we already see an expenditure where about 46c in every dollar that an international visitor spends, they spend in regional Australia." – Hansard pg. 122, Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Legislation Committee.

However, at the time of the hearing, the correct statistic was "Bear in mind we already see an expenditure where about 43c in every dollar that any visitor spends, they spend in regional Australia." As such, I would like to make a correction to the Hansard in this regard.

I would be very happy to discuss the issue further with you if necessary and hope to hear from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

John O'Sullivan  
**MANAGING DIRECTOR**