DPS ref: D17/151504

Ms Ann Palmer Secretary Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Ms Palmer

## Senate Supplementary Budget Estimates—Department of Parliamentary Services

I would like to correct evidence I provided to the Committee on 23 October 2017.

During the hearing for DPS, I advised the Committee that I notified the AFP of the lost documentation the same day DPS was notified by our contractor.

This was not correct. I notified the AFP of the lost documentation on the 9<sup>th</sup> of February 2016, which was the day after DPS was notified in writing by our contractor.

I would appreciate you bringing this to the attention of the Committee.

Yours sincerely

Graeme Anderson

**Acting Assistant Secretary** 

Security Branch

30 October 2017