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Document 1B - Correction of Errors/Methodology

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APPENDIX B: CORRECTION OF MATERIAL ERRORS

→ In the *Department of Home Affairs Annual Report 2017–18*, the Department and the ABF published material errors and/or inconsistencies in its reporting. As a result, comparisons against similar data from previous financial years may have been difficult. These are the corrections for 2017–18:

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→ The Department at a glance: marine unit patrol days, was reported as 2036 patrol days. The correct figure is 2668 patrol days, which includes all ABF patrol fleets, including ABFC Ocean Shield and ABFC Thaiyak.

Pages 19 and 82

The number of enquiries received by the Transport Security Guidance Centre was reported as 2498. The correct figure is 2506.

Pages 32 and 46

The figure for number of illicit and restricted drug detected at the border was reported as 43,251 (on page 46) and 42,872 (on page 32) detections. The correct figure is 43,278 detections.

Pages 38–39

Figure 5 and Table 3—the name of Program 1.1 was reported as Maritime Domain. The correct name of Program 1.1. is Border Enforcement.

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Purpose 1 at a glance—Air coverage, was reported as 120.79 square nautical miles. The correct figure is 120.79 million square nautical miles.

Purpose 1 at a glance—Marine unit patrol days, was recorded as 2036 patrol days. The correct figure is 2668 patrol days, which includes all ABF patrol fleets, including ABFC Ocean Shield and ABFC Thaiyak.

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SPM 1.2.6—the number of infringement notices issued in the passenger stream was reported as 248. The correct number is 255.

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SPM 2.3.2—the proportion of Australian citizenship by conferral applications that were lodged electronically was reported as 71 per cent. This correct figure is 71.6 per cent.

SPM 2.3.2—the proportion of all visa applications were lodged electronically was reported as 90 per cent (up eight per cent from 2016–17). The correct figure is 88 per cent (up six per cent from 2016–17).