Senator Susan McDonald Chair Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Senator McDonald

CORRECTION - QUESTION ON NOTICE 000601 (June 2021)

I am writing to advise the Committee of an error in the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment (the department)'s response to:

 Question on Notice 601 which was provided as part of the Budget Estimates 2021 process on Departmental Functions.

The department included two functions the Launch of the Centre of Excellence and the National Clothing Textile Waste Roundtable and Clothing Textile Exhibition in response to Question on Notice 601. Details of the functions are in Attachment A.

These functions were hosted by the Minister. These have been included in response to Question on Notice 600 – Ministerial Functions and should be removed from the response to Question on Notice 601 to prevent duplication.

Yours sincerely

Paul Pak Poy Chief Finance Officer Finance Division 03 August 2021



Attachment A - Function information

Total Amount (GST inclusive)	\$9,455.00	\$7,655.00
Other (GST inclusive)	\$405.00	0\$
Venue Hire (GST inclusive)	\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00
Food and Beverage (GST inclusive)	\$1,530.00	\$3,999.00
Alcohol (GST inclusive)	\$2,520.00	\$1,156.00
Attendees	Officials (departmental employees): 4; Stakeholders (nongovernment): 95; Minister (including Assistant Ministers): 2; Associates (other Commonwealth government): 9	Officials (departmental employees): 8; Associates (other Commonwealth employees): 1; Training provider/Meeting facilitator/Guest speaker: 1; Stakeholders (nongovernment): 50; Minister (including Assistant Ministers): 9; Other: 3
Venue	Australian Parliament House	Australian Parliament House - Enid Lyons Room and Mural Hall A.
Function	Launch of the Centre of Excellence	The National Clothing Textile Waste Roundtable and Clothing Textile Exhibition.
Days	~	~
Event Date	15/03/2021	26/05/2021
Identifier	9545	9813