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

Dear Senator McDonald

CORRECTION - QUESTION ON NOTICE 57 (MARCH 2021) AND QUESTION ON NOTICE 98 (NOVEMBER 2020)

I am writing to advise the Committee of an error in the Murray-Darling Basin Authority (the MDBA) response to:

- Question on Notice 57 which was provided as part of the Additional Estimates process in March 2021; and
- Question on Notice 98 which was previously provided as part of the Budget Estimates process in November 2020.

The MDBA's internal legal costs for the period 1 January 2020 – 30 June 2020 were \$725,154 GST exclusive (previously reported as \$720,320).

This figure has been updated to take account of improved information and an error in calculation.

I apologise for any confusion this may have caused.

Yours sincerely

Phillip Glyde

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