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Senator Susan McDonald
Chair, Senate Standing Committee on
Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport
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Dear Senator

I have reviewed the proof Hansard for the recent Supplementary Budget Estimates cross-portfolio hearing on Friday 25 October 2019, at the Australian Parliament House in Canberra.

I wish to make one factual correction which I have outlined in **Attachment A**.

For your convenience I have also annotated this correction in addition to several typographical corrections on pages 1, 39, 45, 47, 57 & 59 on a copy of the proof Hansard and provided it as **Attachment B** to this letter.

Thank you for the opportunity to review the transcript.

Yours sincerely

Phillip Glyde

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Factual Corrections to Proof Hansard - Friday 25 October 2019

Correction 1:

The correction relates to Ms Kelly Casey's statement which can be found on page 59 of the proof Hansard:

Ms Casey: The proceedings were initiated in the New South Wales Supreme Court, and we were served with a claim in mid-May of this year. The proceedings aren't currently framed as a class action, technically. In terms of where we're at the moment, there were consent orders agreed on the 15th of this month, which will see the plaintiffs file and serve an amended statement of claim by 21 January. The matter is to be relisted at the end of February for further directions.

I wish to highlight to the committee that Ms Casey mistakenly stated the dates on which the amended statement of claim was due. Please change the dialogue to:

Ms Casey: The proceedings were initiated in the New South Wales Supreme Court, and we were served with a claim in mid-May of this year. The proceedings aren't currently framed as a class action, technically. In terms of where we're at the moment, there were consent orders agreed on the 15th of this month, which will see the plaintiffs file and serve an amended statement of claim by ~~21~~ 31 January. The matter is to be relisted at the end of February for further directions."