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Dear Committee Secretary,

RE: Australian Resources & Energy Group AMMA response to Questions on Notice

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Amendment (Ensuring Integrity) Bill 2019 [provisions]

AMMA thanks the Senate Education and Employment Committee for the written questions on notice from Senator Sheldon received on 27 September 2019.

- (a) Can the witness please provide a complete list of their State and Territory and any other member organisations, and a complete list of the affiliates to those State/Territory and member organisations.*

AMMA is Australia's resources and energy industry group. Its membership covers the majority of employers operating across the mining, oil and gas, related construction and allied service sectors. AMMA national membership arrangements are commercial-in-confidence.

AMMA is in a privileged position of trust with its members with an understanding that it provides public advocacy from a whole of industry perspective and without identifying individual members in any public forum.

AMMA has no 'affiliates'.

- (b) Can the witness please provide an update from their State and Territory member organisations of any and all breeches of the Fair Work Act by their affiliated organisations and any and all contraventions of laws related to Occupational Health and Safety laws, sham contracting laws, security of payment laws – for the past 2 years to August 2019.*

AMMA refers to the response to question (a).

- (c) Can the witness please provide a list of all affiliates to member organisations who have participated in the construction of buildings that have flammable cladding and/or were constructed with asbestos or a building that contains prohibited imports.*

AMMA refers to the response to question (a).

With respect, the matters queried are not relevant to the Bill under review by the Committee and such information would not be requested or maintained by AMMA.

(d) Can the witness please provide a list of all organisations affiliated to members organisations who have engaged in underpayment of wages and/or superannuation, or theft of wages and/or superannuation in the past two years to August 2019.

AMMA refers to the response to question (a).

With respect, such information would not be requested or maintained by AMMA.

(e) Can the witness inform the Inquiry if Gerry Hanssen has worked, at any time, for any members or affiliated to members, or if a business or subsidiary managed by him is an affiliate of any member of the witness. If this is the case can the witness inform the inquiry of the name of this organisation or organisations.

AMMA refers to the response to question (a). If the Committee is referring to project management and construction company Hanssen Pty Ltd, AMMA can disclose that this company is not a member of AMMA.