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Mr David Sullivan
Secretary
Senate Standing Committee on
Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Mr Sullivan

I write to correct evidence that I gave at the Budget Estimates hearing held on 21 October 2015 concerning DST Group Budget. Please note the following corrections:

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The Defence Science and Technology Group 2014-15 budget was \$408 million.

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It was \$408 million for 2014-15 and \$1.6B over the forward estimates.

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Universities and research institutes like the CSIRO and ANSTO.

From Page 108-110

My comments were incorrectly attributed to Mr Gillis.

I apologise for any misunderstanding that may have arisen.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Zelinsky', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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