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Senator: Senator Siewert

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Question:

1. Does the ILC have any projects under consideration for which funding is not available? Please list the projects and the estimated funding requirements.

2. Is the ILC considering any development projects in relation to ILC owned assets in Sydney? If so, please provide details.

Answer:

- 1. No.
- 2. The ILC is not currently considering any development projects in relation to ILC owned assets in Sydney.

The ILC has engaged KPMG to undertake a best and highest use assessment of the National Centre of Indigenous Excellence (NCIE) site in George St, Redfern in Sydney. When complete, the assessment will include advice to the ILC on how to best utilise the site to allow NCIE to provide ongoing benefits to the Indigenous community while becoming more self-sustaining. The advice will include options for the best use of the site, which the ILC will consider in the context of its legislation, its strategic directions, and the needs and aspirations of the local and extended Indigenous community.