



Senator A McEwen Chair Senate Standing Committee on Environment, Communications and the Arts Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Senator McEwen

On 27 May 2009 I appeared as a witness before the Senate Standing Committee on Environment, Communications and the Arts for the Budget Estimates Hearing.

During the hearing, Senator Troeth asked a question which appears on ECA 26 of the transcript.

In response to that question I indicated that for this year the efficiency dividend after the net represents \$346,000 and that the net increase to us after the efficiency dividend and the CPI is \$346,000.

I wish to advise that for this year the efficiency dividend is \$291,000. The net increase to AFTRS after the efficiency dividend and the CPI is \$355,000.

Yours sincerely

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Student Services

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