

Mr Michael McLean  
Secretary  
Senate Standing Committee on Environment, Communications,  
Information Technology and the Arts  
Parliament House  
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Mr McLean

I refer to the hearing of the Environment, Communications, Information Technology and the Arts Legislation Committee held on 17 February 2004.

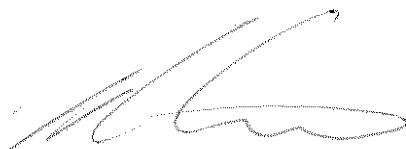
In responding to questions from Senator Lundy regarding funding provided to individual sports through the Targeted Sports Participation Growth Program, Mr Brent Espeland of the Australian Sports Commission provided two sets of factually incorrect figures for the sport of surf life saving [Hansard pages ECITA 20-21]. He inadvertently read the total figures for that sport, rather than the component figures as provided for all other sports.

I seek to have the following amendments made to the Hansard transcript:

- i) Hansard page ECITA 20 – currently reads “surf lifesaving \$175,000, \$125,000 and \$100,000” to be amended to “surf life saving \$115,000, \$85,000 and \$68,000”; and
- ii) Hansard page ECITA 21 – currently reads “with surf lifesaving \$175,000, \$125,000 and \$100,000” to be amended to “with surf life saving \$60,000, \$40,000 and \$32,000”.

I would be grateful if these amendments could be made to the Hansard record of the hearing.

Yours sincerely



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