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Ms Jeanette Radcliffe Committee Secretary Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs

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Dear Ms Radcliffe

I write to you in anticipation of the National Disability Insurance Agency's (NDIA) appearance at the 2017-18 Additional Estimates on 1 March 2018.

On 18 October 2017, the NDIA released details of the new National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) participant pathway, which is now being piloted. I am pleased to share with the Committee the recently released *NDIS Pathway Review Report*, which is now available on the NDIS website at: www.ndis.gov.au/news/pathway-review-released.html.

I would also like to refer the Committee to the NDIA's latest quarterly report to the COAG Disability Reform Council, covering the period 1 October to 31 December 2017. A copy of the Quarter 2 report is available at: www.ndis.gov.au/about-us/information-publications-and-reports/quarterly-reports.html.

I would be most grateful if you could circulate the above reports to senators ahead of the NDIA's appearance.

Yours sincerely

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