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Department of Health

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Ms Jeanette Radcliffe
Secretary
Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2066

Dear Ms Radcliffe

**Correction of evidence to 2017 – 18 Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearing,
26 October 2017**

I am writing to correct evidence provided to Committee during its examination of the Department of Health in the 2017 – 18 Supplementary Budget Estimates hearing on 26 October 2017.

In answering a question from Senator Di Natale, I said: *I'll check with the CMO. I think the figure is about 10,000.* (Hansard, Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee, Estimates, 26 October 2017, Proof Copy, page 13)

However, it has been brought to my notice that the figure I had in my head and what I meant to say was *I think the figure is about 100,000.*

I would be grateful if you could note the figure of *100,000* in the corrected hansard.

Yours sincerely

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