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Dear Senator Gichuhi

Clarification of evidence given at 2018-19 Supplementary Budget Estimates hearing on 25 October 2018

I am writing to clarify an answer provided to the Committee during its examination of the National Disability Insurance Agency in relation to Outcome 3.

I refer to the below extract from page 72 of the transcript:

Senator CAROL BROWN: If you just provide that on notice, that would be good. Has the Assistant Minister for Social Services, Housing and Disability Services raised with the agency the issue of a significant number of the senior executives not being based in Geelong?

Mr De Luca: With me, no.

Senator CAROL BROWN: Or anyone else in the NDIA that you know of?

Mr De Luca: No.

I wish to advise that Assistant Minister for Social Services, Housing and Disability Services, the Hon Sarah Henderson MP, has raised the importance of NDIA staff and senior executives being located in Geelong. I was not aware of this at the time I provided evidence to the Committee.

Yours sincerely

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