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Senator Jonathon Duniam
Chair, Environment and Communications Legislation Committee
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Dear Chair,

Correction to Hansard - Environment and Communications Legislation Committee

Some information provided by **nbn** during the Environment and Communications Legislation Committee spillover hearing on 10 April 2018 needs to be amended.

Please find below an amended excerpt:

Senator O'NEILL: I might come back to that in a minute. Mr Ryan, I will go to the specifics of the Redcliffe rollout.

Mr Ryan: Redcliffe, yes.

Senator O'NEILL: My understanding is that there are 20,000 premises in Redcliffe connecting using Optus HFC infrastructure. Do they run off separate IT and provisioning systems?

Mr Ryan: Do you mind if I refer that to Mr McInerney down the end there?

Mr McInerney: Yes, at this point in time, they do. They run off the Optus system stack; not the NBN-

<u>Correction:</u> The majority of the Optus HFC infrastructure is still managed by Optus systems. Redcliffe has been migrated to nbn and premises are connected using nbn systems.

Senator O'NEILL: Okay. Is that upgradeable in the same way as Telstra HFC? Is it a similar system or is it different?

Mr McInerney: In terms of their systems I can't comment, to be perfectly honest. I don't know the Optus platforms and don't get heavily involved in what Optus do in this landscape.

I trust this information will be of assistance to the Committee.

Kind regards,

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