Committee Secretary
Senate Standing Committee on Economics
PO Box 6100
Parliament House
Canberra ACT 2600

Dear Committee Secretary,

This letter is to clarify information provided at the ATO's appearance before the Economics Legislation Committee on 24 October 2018. Refer to information provided on page 70 of the Hansard.

In response to Senator McAllister asking if the ATO had been contacted by Charities Commissioner Mr Johns, regarding acknowledging country, I responded "not to my knowledge".

I would like to note that since my above statement I have been advised that the ATO did receive correspondence from Mr Johns relating to this issue.

Yours sincerely

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Chief Operating Officer

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20 November 2018