

**Australian Government** 

## Australian Government response to the

Joint Standing Committee on Public Works report:

Report 5/2017

September 2017

## **Recommendation 6**

6.51 The Committee requests that Defence Housing Australia and the Department of Defence provide the Committee with detailed reports which outline the project's financial position at the end of each of the three phases of the project, and if the Committee requests, provide:

- A private briefing on each phase of the project;
- A site inspection; and
- Representatives to appear at a public hearing.

## **Government response**

## Agree

The Government supports the actions under Recommendation 6. A detailed report on project expenditure and, if required, a private briefing will be provided to the Committee following the completion of the first 58 houses under Phase 1 on the upgrade project. Phase 1 is expected to be completed by August 2017.