

The Secretary
Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs
PO Box 6100
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Sir/Madam

I refer to the appearance by representatives of the Department of Human Services before the Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee on 27 February 2014.

The Department of Human Services seeks the following amendment to the Hansard record of the hearing to correct a minor factual error in evidence given by Ms Malisa Golightly, Deputy Secretary, Social Services Group.

In responding to a question from Senator Cameron (page 125 of the Hansard record), Ms Golightly gave the following evidence:

Ms Golightly: The new one is \$2.5 million and the old threshold was \$1.3 million – that is, the current one that is about to be replaced.

The Department requests that this be amended to read:

Ms Golightly: The new one is \$2.5 million and the old threshold was \$1.5 million – that is, the current one that is about to be replaced.

The figure that has been changed is highlighted.

It would be appreciated if you would endorse this change. Should you require any clarification or assistance, please do not hesitate to contact Phil Ruff on 02 6223 4185.

Yours faithfully

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