



1 December 2015

Ms Jeanette Radcliffe  
Secretary  
Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs  
PO Box 6100  
Parliament House>  
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Ms Radcliffe

**Correction of information provided to 2015-16 Supplementary Budget  
Estimates Hearing, 22 October 2015**

I am writing to correct information that was provided to the Committee during its examination of the Department of Human Services in the 2015-16 Supplementary Budget Estimates hearing on 22 October 2015.

In answering a question from Senator Cameron I said "Yes, that is out of a base of \$2.7 billion in deductions." (page 131, Hansard Proof Copy, Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee Estimates, Wednesday 22 October 2015).

The response should have been "Yes, that is out of a base of \$2.4 billion in deductions."

Yours sincerely

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