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Department of Defence

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Mr David Sullivan
Secretary
Senate Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Committee
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Secretary

I write to correct evidence that I gave at the Budget Estimates held on 30 May 2017 concerning the country of manufacture of ADF uniform items.

Refer page 66: I stated "From a combat soldier perspective, the load carriage equipment is made in Australia". The load carriage equipment is designed in Australia and manufactured in Vietnam.

I apologise for any misunderstanding that may have arisen.

Yours sincerely

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