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**To:** Portfolio Committee 6

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**Subject:** Correction to funding figure

## Dear Portfolio Committee 6

It has come to our attention that there was an error in our submissions to the Committee for the Parliamentary Inquiry into the arts and music economy. Please refer to the highlighted information in the tables below.

While it is correct that Create NSW provided \$455,000 in funding to Music NSW, the error was in the provision of a funding breakdown.

Please accept the following correction:

\$455,000 to Music NSW in 2017/18 as part of a multiyear agreement. This funding includes \$100,000 in small grants to artists, and \$355,000 to an annual program of creative and professional development opportunities for emerging musicians and industry professionals. The opportunities cover exposure and networking through music industry events, resources and advice available through various mechanisms including workshops and master classes. Highlights of the annual program include a focus on regional NSW, Western Sydney, and an annual symposium on a key issue in contemporary music.

## PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY INTO THE MUSIC AND ARTS ECONOMY IN NSW OUESTIONS ON NOTICE. 26 MARCH 2018

	QUESTION	AGENCY	RESPONSE
1	For contemporary music in New South Wales, how much support is Create NSW providing?	Create NSW	<ul> <li>In 2017-18, funding for contemporary music was provided on the following basis through Create NSW's Arts and Cultural Development Program:         <ul> <li>\$7.6 million for festivals and organisations which present contemporary music, including the Sydney Festival and Carriageworks.</li> <li>\$455,000 to Music NSW, which included \$355,000 in small grants funding.</li> <li>\$320,805 to individuals and organisations for the development, production and presentation of contemporary music.</li> <li>\$20,000 for the Boomerang Festival, which is held as part of the Byron Bay Blues Fest.</li> </ul> </li> <li>In addition, funding of \$250,000 approved in 2016-17 was delivered for staging the Live and Local micro music festivals in Western Sydney and Regional NSW.</li> </ul>

11	I am really inviting	
	the agency to	
	clarify that	
	question (re	
	funding for	
	contemporary	
	music in NSW and	
	Victoria).	

## Create NSW

In 2017-18, funding for contemporary music was provided on the following basis through Create NSW's Arts and Cultural Development Program:

- \$7.6 million for festivals and organisations which present contemporary music, including the Sydney Festival and Carriageworks.
- \$455,000 to Music NSW, which included \$355,000 in small grants funding.
- \$320,805 to individuals and organisations for the development, production and presentation of contemporary music.
- \$20,000 for the Boomerang Festival, which is held as part of the Byron Bay Blues Fest.

Also, funding of \$250,000 approved in 2016-17 was delivered for staging the Live and Local micro music festivals in Western Sydney and Regional NSW.

## PORTFOLIO COMMITTEE NO.6 - PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT THE MUSIC AND ARTS ECONOMY IN NSW SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS, 26 MARCH 2018

13	Could you please provide a
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	support that the NSW
	Government provides for
	support that the NSW Government provides for contemporary music?

The \$1,095,805 million for 2017-18 includes:

- \$320,805 to individuals and organisations for the development, production and presentation of contemporary music,
- \$50,000 for Heaps Decent, a multi arts organisation,
- \$20,000 for the Boomerang Festival, which is held as part of the Byron Bay Blues Fest.
- \$455,000 to Music NSW, which includes \$355,000 in devolved funding to enable it to conduct a small grants funding program for individuals and organisations.

In addition, funding of \$250,000 approved in 2016-17 was delivered for staging the Live and Local micro music festivals in 2017-18 in Western Sydney and Regional NSW.

21 How much did the NSW
Government spend on
contemporary music per capita
by state resident through the
arts budget each year for the
last 5 years? including a
breakdown of Sydney and
regional spend.

Funding data for contemporary music over this five-year period is not available as the Arts and Cultural Development Program generally reflects the organisations that are funded, rather than the genre of music being funded.

However, in 2017-18, funding for contemporary music was provided on the following basis through Create NSW's Arts and Cultural Development Program:

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In addition, funding of \$250,000 approved in 2016-17 was delivered for staging the Live and Local micro music festivals in 2017-18 in Western Sydney and Regional NSW.

Kind regards

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