

The Hon. Robert Borsak, MLC Chair Legislative Council Portfolio Committee No.5 – Legal Affairs Parliament House Macquarie Street Sydney NSW 2000

Dear Mr Borsak

I write to clarify evidence I gave during the 2018-19 Budget Estimates inquiry, on 2 September 2019, to the Legislative Council Portfolio Committee No.5 – Legal Affairs.

On page 67 of the uncorrected transcript, I mistakenly stated "The additional magistrates that are starting in October have been appointed", in response to the Honourable David Shoebridge's question "How many additional magistrates have been appointed in the past two years?"

My statement was in error. The appropriate response should have been:

The additional magistrates are expected to be appointed in September and to commence in October 2019.

I ask that a correction be included as a footnote in the final transcript.

Yours sincerely

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Deputy Secretary

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