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Dear Director

I refer to the uncorrected transcript of evidence I gave at the Budget Estimates hearing for Portfolio Committee No. 7 – Planning and Environment on Tuesday, 9 March 2021.

Page 80 of the uncorrected transcript states that I said:

The budget—I am just looking up the exact figure—is just over \$8 million for this year and was increased to cover various things.

There are two matters in that statement requiring clarification.

The first is a mis-transcription. Between the words "figure" and "is", to the best of my collection I said "I think it".

The second matter requiring clarification was a misstatement of a figure. The \$8 million figure referred to for this year should have been \$7 million, with the \$8 million figure being relevant to next year.

Accordingly, the corrected part of this transcript should read:

The budget—I am just looking up the exact figure—<u>I think it</u> is just over \$8<u>7</u> million for this year and was increased to cover various things.

I would be grateful if the transcript could be corrected. If you require any further additional information, I can be reached on

Yours sincerely

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Chair