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Good morning Merrin,

I am writing from Engineers Australia to provide some information in light of the public hearing yesterday (Monday 22 November) for the *Further inquiry into the regulation of building standards*.

There was one inaccuracy in the evidence given by a witness that was about Engineers Australia. We think this warrants an email to you as the Director Committee to ensure the Committee has the most up-to-date information. If this can be passed on to the Committee members, please do so. And if you think I should contact the Chair with this information directly, please let me know.

The point of correction relates to when David Chandler said Engineers Australia does not have a Chartered scheme for fire engineers. This is not correct because Engineers Australia does in fact have a Chartered scheme for Fire Safety Engineers, and Fire Safety Engineers are able to be registered on our National Engineering Register (NER).

For more information, please see our website:

- Chartered areas of practice: <https://www.engineersaustralia.org.au/Chartered/Chartered-Area-of-Practice>
- NER areas of practice: <https://www.engineersaustralia.org.au/Engineering-Registers/National-Engineering-Register/NER-Areas-Of-Practice>

Thank you,

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