



## Treasury

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Dear Director

I would like to clarify evidence given by myself at the Budget Estimates hearing for Legislative Council Portfolio Committee No. 1 – Premier and Finance on 1 March 2024.

The following statement is recorded on Page 24, paragraph 1 of the uncorrected transcript:

... refugees. We've engaged five social enterprises to do that work under a payment-by-results arrangement. Some of the payments are at risk depending on whether or not highly disadvantaged women are able to get back into the workforce. Secondly, there is \$1.3 million over two years to build the capacity of social enterprises. The most recent one is an \$8 million tender to support the educational outcomes for First Nations girls.

For clarity and factual accuracy, this should be amended to:

... refugees. We've engaged five social enterprises to do that work under a payment-by-results arrangement. Some of the payments are at risk depending on whether or not highly disadvantaged women are able to get back into the workforce. Secondly, there is \$1.3 million over two years to build the capacity of social enterprises. The most recent one is an up to \$7 million tender to support the educational outcomes for First Nations girls.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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