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ICAC Committee Report 3/56

Dear Ms Minnican

I refer to your correspondence dated 22 September 2017 concerning Report No. 3/56 of the Committee on the Independent Commission Against Corruption – *Review of the 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Annual Reports of the ICAC Inspector (Report)*.

I note that the Report contains recommendations directed solely to the Independent Commission Against Corruption (**ICAC**) and the Inspector of the ICAC.

The ICAC and the Inspector of the ICAC are independent statutory offices which report directly to the Parliament. The Government cannot, nor should it attempt to, direct the ICAC or the Inspector in the exercise of their functions.

I am advised that the Report has been brought to the attention of the ICAC and the Inspector of the ICAC.

Yours sincerely

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Deputy Secretary, Cabinet and Legal

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