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Hon. Peter Collier MLC Chair Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations Parliament House, 4 Harvest Terrace West Perth By email: lcefoc@parliament.wa.gov.au

Dear Mr. Collier,

Thank you for the correspondence received on 19 October 2021 by Committee Clerk Margaret Liveris on behalf of the Committee.

Following a review of the transcript of evidence provided by myself in my capacity as Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Child Protection and Community Services at the Hearing on 18 October 2021, it has come to my attention that I inadvertently supplied incorrect information to the Committee.

In my evidence, I stated that "the percentage of homeless people who are unfortunately over-represented are Aboriginal—it is over 57 per cent". In actuality, an estimated 36 per cent of people sleeping rough in Perth are Aboriginal.

I can also advise that there are no typographical errors requiring correction in the transcript.

Yours Sincerely,

SAMANTHA ROWE MLC

Member for East Metropolitan Region

26 October 2021

