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Dear Ms Mesiti

I refer to the request for Supplementary Information B1 in relation to evidence given by myself to the Standing Committee on Public Administration Inquiry into the Patient Assisted Travel Scheme.

The question seeks information about whether the Disability Services Commission has identified any issues with the approval of escorts for people with a disability accessing the PAT Scheme.

After canvassing staff in our country offices I can advise the Inquiry that there is no general perception of any difficulties with the approval of escorts.

Yours sincerely

Chris Yates

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