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Dear Ms Evans

TRANSCRIPT OF EVIDENCE

I wish to correct factual information provided to the Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs during the hearing on 23 October 2019 related to the Inquiry into Petition 123 – Southern Forests Irrigation Scheme.

In my evidence I referred to work that the Department has done to explore impacts on environmental flows. On pages four and five of the transcript I stated that this work looked at what impacts might be "downstream of both Record Brook and Donnelly Brook". However, I should have said "downstream of both Record Brook and the pump point on the Donnelly River".

Further, on page 5 I made reference to "some people who have either been longstanding or new in the area who have not fully understood that, particularly in the Warren part of the area". In this instance I should have said "Donnelly part of the area".

I have amended the transcript provided to reflect these points but understand that correction of factual errors may also require a letter of explanation.

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

Yours sincerely

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