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Remote Area Tax Concessions and Payments Inquiry Productivity Commission Locked Bag 2, Collings Street East MELBOURNE VIC 8003

**Dear Commissioners** 

Thank you for meeting with Northern Territory Government officials in Darwin on 23 October 2019 to discuss the findings and recommendations in the draft *Remote Area Tax Concessions and Payments* report.

I am pleased to provide additional information consistent with discussions at the meeting, and acknowledge that this submission will be available publicly on your website.

The Territory continues to be of the firm view that the Productivity Commission's draft recommendations will have substantial negative impacts for individuals and businesses in regional and remote areas, and urge the Commission to reconsider these recommendations prior to providing final recommendations to the Commonwealth.

Yours sincerely

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