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Mr Romlie Mokak Presiding Commissioner, Indigenous Evaluation Strategy **Productivity Commission** (Via online lodgement)

Dear Mr Mokak

Please find attached our brief submission to the Indigenous Evaluation Strategy Inquiry.

Regional Development Australia NT (RDA NT) is a not-for-profit community-based organisation concerned with building partnerships and ensuring that all governments and stakeholders collaborate in developing and strengthening regional communities. RDA NT is part of a nationwide network of 53 RDAs.

Whilst we support the development of an Indigenous Evaluation Strategy in principle, we have a number of concerns which we have outlined in the attached. We also note that there has been no information available to date on the timing and location of hearings. We take this opportunity to encourage the Commission to hold hearings throughout regional and remote areas to ensure that Indigenous voices can be heard firsthand.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact Robin Gregory

Yours sincerely

Steve Edgington Chair, RDA NT



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