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The Hon Matt Thistlethwaite MP Assistant Minister for Defence Assistant Minister for Veterans' Affairs Assistant Minister for the Republic Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Assistant Minister

By email: Matt.Thistlethwaite.MP@aph.gov.au

Following the recent swearing in of the new ministry, I am writing to update you on your specific responsibilities as Assistant Minister for the Republic. I have copied this letter to the Prime Minister, the Hon Anthony Albanese MP.

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I look forward to working with you and our colleagues to deliver on the Australian Government's positive, clear plan for a better future for our country.

Yours sincerely

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cc. The Hon Anthony Albanese MP