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Hi s 22(1)(a)(ii),
 PM&C are still awaiting the preferred approach for briefing the PM for this one but once we know we can look to see if there is a way to feed in your views. Many thanks for sharing!

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Hi s 22(1)(a)(ii),

I hope you are both well!

I understand that the CEO of Anthropic (Dario Amodei) is scheduled to meet PM Albanese on 1 April in Canberra for the formal signing of the MoU between Aus/Anthropic.

We provided some NS focused points to DISR and wanted to also share with you in case it is useful for the meeting/PMC briefings.

Following consultation with Tech Security Policy, Critical Infrastructure, Counter-

Terrorism and Commonwealth Security partners, happy to suggest the following opportunities:

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- Anthropic can support Australia's objective to promote trusted, democratically aligned AI systems across the Indo-Pacific and encourage regional uptake of secure and values-aligned technologies.

Kind regards,

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Hi s 22(1)(a)(ii)

Thanks for the opportunity to input into the Anthropic meeting brief. As we've previously discussed Home Affairs, in executing its national security and regulatory functions, looks forward to a strong collaborative relationship with Anthropic. While we understand the MoU is a very high level set of commitments, our input shows a number of tangible, positive and useful lines of effort we can work towards in line with the National AI Plan:

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- Anthropic can support Australia's objective to promote trusted, democratically aligned AI systems across the Indo-Pacific and encourage regional uptake of secure and values-aligned technologies.

Please reach out if you or the team would like further detail or briefing on any of these points.

Warm regards,

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Hi [REDACTED] s 22(1)
As Jess touched on at the B2 IDC, we're putting together **briefing for Min Ayres and AM Charlton meeting with Anthropic CEO on 1 April.** [REDACTED] s 47C , s 47G

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Grateful for your input by COB Thu 19 March

Cheers and of course happy to talk in the meantime

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Hi all

Thank you for your engagement last year on draft indicative AI MOUs with s 22(1)(a)(ii) Anthropic.
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This email seeks any redline objections to the final drafts by COB Thursday 5 Feb. Please give me a call if you anticipate any issues.

Only minor changes have occurred since the last draft shared with you. Changes highlighted in yellow were made to align with the PM's letter of authority (cc'd to your ministers). s 22(1)(a)(ii)

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Please let me know if you would like to discuss this further.

Cheers
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