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**Draft Bill: EXTERNAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION AND COMPLAINTS FRAMEWORK**

Dear Manager

I suggest two formal corrections to the draft Treasury Laws Amendment (External Dispute Resolution) Bill 2017.

Paragraph 1048(3): change “claims” to “complaints”. This is for consistency with ss 1046(2)(b),(c),(j) and (k), 1047 and 1048(4)(b).

Proposed subsection 1051(3): change “advice and reasons” to “advice”. The advice must itself “set out” the reasons (s 1051(2)(b)), so it is confusing to refer to the reasons as additional to the advice.

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