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Dear Mr Brahim

## Impact Analysis – Second Pass Final Assessment – Supporting Remote Cost-of-Living and Food Security

Thank you for your letter of 29 January 2025 submitting an Impact Analysis (IA) for formal Second Pass Final Assessment. I note the IA has been formally certified at the Deputy Chief Executive Officer level consistent with the *Australian Government Guide to Policy Impact Analysis* (the Guide).

I appreciate the National Indigenous Australians Agency's constructive engagement on the IA. The Office of Impact Analysis' (OIA) assessment is that the quality of the analysis in the IA is 'adequate'. While the IA considers a range of options and provides a detailed implementation plan, to be considered 'good practice' as per the Guide, the IA would have benefited from a more detailed analysis of the potential economic impacts and further consultation with stakeholders.

The IA may now be provided to the decision-maker to inform their decision.

## Next steps

Ahead of the final decision being announced we would appreciate a copy of the IA in a form meeting the Government's web accessibility requirements. The OIA will then publish the IA, along with your certification, on the OIA's website at oia.pmc.gov.au. The IA must also be included in any Explanatory Memorandum or Statement giving effect to the proposals in the IA, as stipulated in the *User Guide to the Australian Government Guide to Policy Impact Analysis*.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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30 January 2025