

Australian Government

Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency

30 September 2016

The Hon David Gillespie MP Assistant Minister for Rural Health House of Representatives Parliament House CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Minister Gillespie

Pursuant to section 59 of the *Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act 1998* (ARPANS Act), I am pleased to present to you the Annual Report of the Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA) for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 June 2016.

As required by the ARPANS Act, the Annual Report provides details on:

- the operations of the Chief Executive Officer, ARPANSA and the council and committees
- any direction given by the Minister to me under section 16 of the ARPANS Act and any breach of licence conditions by a licensee, of which I am aware
- all reports received from the Radiation Health and Safety Advisory Council on matters related to radiation protection and nuclear safety or the Nuclear Safety Committee on matters related to nuclear safety and the safety of controlled facilities.

Yours sincerely

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Carl-Magnus Larsson CEO of ARPANSA