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Minister for Trade, Tourism and Investment

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Dear Mr Litton

Thank you for your response to my letter regarding funding for the Export Market Development Grants (EMDG) scheme. I note your concerns about funding for the scheme and the likely impact on second tranche payments this year.

As mentioned in my previous letter, the Turnbull Coalition Government is committed to progressively restoring funding for the EMDG scheme and has already boosted funding for the scheme in 2013–14 by \$12.5 million a year. The Government is dedicated to the ongoing success of the scheme and will look to further funding increases as the budget improves.

Thank you for your ongoing support of the EMDG scheme and of Australian exporters.

Yours sincerely



Steven Ciobo

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