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The Hon. Brad Hazzard MP  
Minister for Family and Community Services  
GPO Box 5341  
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Dear Minister,

I refer to your letter of 8 November 2016 to my predecessor, Mr Steve Turner.

I understand from my staff that you have previously given a commitment to meet with the Association on a regular basis in relation to major reforms and matters of mutual interest.

As the *Future Directions for Social Housing in NSW* paper augurs in a new approach to the delivery of public, social and affordable housing in NSW, we would appreciate the opportunity to discuss these initiatives with you, and the impact they may have on our members working in the Department of Family and Community Services (the Department).

As you are aware, the Department is undergoing a number of significant and wide-ranging organisational changes. We are keen to ensure that the impact to front line services is minimised and ongoing employment opportunities for affected public sector staff are maximised.

While we have taken the opportunity to raise these matters with Mr Paul Vevers, we believe it would be beneficial to discuss them with you directly.

I can be contacted on 9220 0982 or [twright@psa.asn.au](mailto:twright@psa.asn.au) to arrange a convenient time to meet.

I thank you for your attention to this matter and look forward to meeting with you.

Yours faithfully,

Troy Wright  
**Assistant General Secretary**