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**TREASURER**

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The Hon Guy Barnett MP  
Deputy Premier  
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Friday, 13 December 2024

Dear Deputy Premier

Thank you for your correspondence on 12 November 2024 concerning a GST exemption for the Macquarie Point Urban Renewal Project.

I write to confirm I will list the \$240 million Commonwealth payment for the Macquarie Point Urban Renewal Project as an exemption from the calculation of the GST revenue sharing relativities when I issue my next terms of reference to the Commonwealth Grants Commission. This will be reflected in a draft terms of reference circulated by the Treasury shortly.

I note that the Tasmanian Premier Jeremy Rockliff also wrote to me on 20 November regarding this request, so I have copied this letter to him.

Thank you again for your letter.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Jim Chalmers', followed by a long horizontal line.

The Hon Jim Chalmers MP

CC: The Hon Jeremy Rockliff MP

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