



**Senator the Hon Jenny McAllister**  
**Minister for the National Disability Insurance Scheme**

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Dear Minister

I refer to the Federation Funding Agreement (FFA) between the Commonwealth and the Northern Territory (NT) Government for funding of Changing Places Tranche 2. The FFA was executed on 3 June 2024.

Under the FFA, \$190,243 was allocated for Location 4: West Daly Regional Council. The NT Government has advised this project is no longer proceeding. The Commonwealth understands the NT Government proposes to reallocate the unspent funds to the NT Department of Tourism and Hospitality for the purchase of a portable Changing Places facility. This facility will be used at various music festivals and public events across the NT.

The Commonwealth agrees in principle to this proposed reallocation of funding, subject to the terms and conditions outlined in the FFA. The funding will cover the costs for the portable facility, with other related expenses to be met by the NT Government. The NT Government remains responsible for meeting the terms outlined in the FFA including any subsequent increase in costs and ongoing maintenance costs. The relevant conditions for this facility are that it is purchased within 12 months, it is registered on the Changing Places website, and the locations of the facility (when being used for public events) are communicated to the public.

The Commonwealth recognises that Changing Places facilities are essential services that enable people with high support needs to actively participate in the community and enhance community accessibility. This letter, together with your signed response, will serve as the formal agreement between the Commonwealth and NT Government regarding this reallocation of funding. Please indicate your agreement to these terms by signing and returning a copy of this letter by 8 August 2025.

Yours sincerely

Jenny McAllister

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Dear Minister *Jenny*

Thank you for your correspondence of 16 July 2025, providing in principle agreement to the Northern Territory's proposal for unspent funds of \$190,243 to be reallocated for the purchase of a portable Changing Places facility, to be used at various public events across the Northern Territory.

I am pleased to confirm my acceptance of the terms outlined, noting they align with the Federation Funding Agreement executed on 3 June 2024 and the purchase is in accordance with the current Accessible Australia initiative.

The Northern Territory Government is committed to improving the lives of Territorians with disability and welcomes future opportunities for collaboration through the Australian Government's accessible initiatives.

Yours sincerely

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