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Professor Chris Cunningham Chair, Board of Trustees The Quit Group PO Box 12 605 Wellington

Dear Professor Cunningham

SHORE/WHARIKI REVIEW OF TOBACCO CONTROL SERVICES REPORT

Thank you for your letter of 13 July 2015 addressed to Chai Chuah, Director General, regarding the Review of Tobacco Control Services final report, which was published on the Ministry of Health Website in November 2014.

I understand the issues raised in your letter were sent to SHORE/Whariki when you raised them with us in December 2014. SHORE/Whariki decided not to amend the final report as they concluded that the issues raised did not substantially impact the intended purpose of the review.

The Ministry of Health is disappointed the factual errors were not corrected by Shore/Whariki. The Ministry of Health will attach a copy of your letter and our response alongside the Review of Tobacco Control Services report to ensure those who are accessing it are aware of the inaccuracies.

Naku noa, na

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