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Subject: AM2018/12 - 4 yearly review of awards - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Workers and Practitioners and Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Services Award 2020

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Dear Mr Le Blond,

The Pangula Mannamurna Aboriginal Corporation contacted the Commission regarding a possible error in clause A.2.8(b) of the *Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Workers and Practitioners and Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Services Award 2020* (the award).

Clause A.2.8(b) was inserted into the award in accordance with decisions [\[2020\] FWCFB 6535](#) and [\[2020\] FWCFB 6906](#) and the determination issued by the Full Bench on 21 December 2020 ([PR725164](#)).

The Pangula Mannamurna Aboriginal Corporation believes the reference to “Grade 5 Level 1” in the note to clause A.2.8(b) should be a reference to Grade 4 Level 2.

Clause A.2.8(b) is drafted in line with National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Worker Association’s (NATSIHWA) [revised classification structure](#) submitted on 30 September 2020. We note, however, that an equivalent provision at clause A.2.3 of the [award prior to 21 December 2020](#) refers to Grade 3 Level 2, which became Grade 4 Level 2 following [PR725164](#).

The Deputy President seeks NATSIHWA’s views in relation to the above.

Please provide a response by **10.00am (AEDT) on Tuesday, 26 January 2021**.

Kind regards,

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