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## **NDIS Specialist Disability Accommodation (SDA) Reference Group Communique - Meeting, Wednesday 29 May 2019**

The Members confirmed the previous minutes.

### **Limited Cost Assumptions Review**

The NDIA provided an update on the progress of the review. Members then held a general discussion on submission themes, including location factors, and construction and management cost assumptions.

### **SDA Design Standard**

The NDIA provided background and a progress update on the development of the new SDA Design standard. The NDIA stated its commitment to incorporating feedback from the group.

### **SDA Innovation Plan**

The NDIA provided an overview of its developing contemporary and innovative approaches strategy. The group welcomed the focus on innovation and early engagement. The NDIA agreed to conduct a further session with the reference group at the next meeting.

### **Other business**

Members discussed the recently released NDIA Quarterly report to COAG and progress of the Disability Reform Council SDA Framework review.

### **Proposed items for future meetings**

Members proposed a range of topics of interest for future agenda items including:

- Information to support understanding for participants as agreed by the Disability Reform Council
- A customer relationship model for SDA providers to support them to navigate the SDA processes
- Relationship between Supported Independent Living and SDA

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