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Dear Ms Armstrong

Thank you for your correspondence of 27 October 2017 regarding your ongoing work on the Climate and Health Alliance's Framework for a National Strategy on Climate, Health and Well-Being for Australia.

I was happy to attend your launch in June 2017, and am pleased with the news that your work has been garnering international exposure, as well as state level engagement in Victoria and Queensland.

Climate change is an issue that all levels of government must address. At a Federal level, the Australian Government is strongly committed to the Paris Agreement, and joining effective global action to address climate change impacts. The Government's National Energy Guarantee is a credible, flexible, market-based, lowest cost path to strengthening the reliability of Australia's energy system, while also ensuring that we meet our international commitments. The details of the final design and implementation of the National Energy Guarantee will be worked out with key stakeholders as we pursue this important reform with the states and territories through the Council of Australian Governments.

Thank you for the update on the Framework.

Yours sincerely

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