



SENATOR THE HON MURRAY WATT
MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY

Report to the Parliament in relation to Dairy Australia Limited (Dairy Australia) compliance with the Statutory Funding Contract 2021-2031 with the Commonwealth for 2022-23.

I, Senator the Honourable Murray Watt, Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, under section 14 of the *Dairy Produce Act 1986* (the Act), report that:

- a. The Commonwealth had a funding agreement with Dairy Australia in force for 2022-23;
- b. The amount paid by the Dairy Service Levy and the Commonwealth matching payments to Dairy Australia under the funding agreement, as reported in the Dairy Australia audited financial statements, totalled \$28,759,000 and \$25,704,000, respectively, for the financial year 2022-23; and
- c. On the basis of the information provided by Dairy Australia, I am satisfied that the spending by Dairy Australia of the amounts during 2022-23 complied, in all material respects, with the Statutory Funding Contract 2021-2031 between the Commonwealth and Dairy Australia.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Murray Watt'.

27/11/23