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Submitted to **Health Legislation Amendment (Data-matching) Bill 2019**

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Introduction

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Organisation:

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The Department of Health would like your permission to publish your consultation response. Please indicate your preference:

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Stakeholder Consultation Questions

1. Do you have concerns about this legislation with regard to privacy protections, the Privacy Act 1988 or the role of the Australian Information Commissioner?

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No.

2. Are there any additional agencies and entities that should be listed for potential disclosure of MBS and/or PBS information, or notification of compliance outcomes for public interest reasons?

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Health analytics companies that undertake work for Govt, and helathacre organisations such as [REDACTED] should be considered to undertake anlysis. Compliance with listing requirements such as from PBAC on appropriate prescribing could be considered

3. Are there any other data sources that would be appropriate to match with MBS and/or PBS data for Medicare compliance purposes?

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NA

4. Are there any additional safety and quality concerns in the health system that could be addressed through access to other data?

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This type of linked data has enormous potential if linked to hospitalisation , national death data, pathology data so that treatments and services can be linked to outcomes.

5. Should there be any other compliance purposes which should be permitted under the proposed legislation?

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NA

6. Are there adequate transparency and accountability mechanisms built in to the framework?

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7. If you have further comments, please provide them below.

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