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Dear Mr McKay

Draft Australian/New Zealand Standard - Business continuity. Managing disruption related risk. Submission of Comments

Please find attached to this letter our summary of comments to the draft standard identified above. These comments have been consolidated from feedback provided by the members of the Australasian Chapter of the Business Continuity Institute.

The BCI Australasian Chapter is pleased to see the release of the draft Australian/New Zealand Standard DR 09053, 54 and 55 CP Business continuity. Managing disruption related risk. We believe that it will contribute to the further development of business continuity awareness, understanding and practice by organisations in Australia and New Zealand.

Our members noted, with some disappointment, that Standards Australia did not accept the Business Continuity Institute's original offer to provide a representative to assist in the development of the draft business continuity standard. We feel that this was a missed opportunity.

However, we hope that in providing our constructive feedback at this draft review stage, the BCI Australasian Chapter is now able to contribute to a positive conclusion in the development of AS/NZS 5050. Business continuity. Managing disruption related risk.

Best regards

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