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Adjustment to the Residential Care Subsidy as part of the Annual General Adjustment 2020

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Cabinet minute confirmed on 18 May 2020.

12 May 2020, Cabinet paper, Adjustment to the Residential Care Subsidy as part of the Annual General Adjustment.

12 May 2020, Minute of Decision, Residential Care and Disability Support Services (Annual Adjustment of Applicable Asset Thresholds and Income-from assets Exemption) Regulations 2020 – LEG-20-MIN-0054 – Cabinet Office.

18 May 2020, Minute of Decision, Report of the Cabinet Legislation Committee: Period Ended 15 May 2020 – CAB-20-MIN-0228 – Cabinet Office.

The Cabinet paper seeks Cabinet agreement to the new asset thresholds and income-from-asset exemption for the Residential Care Subsidy, effective 1 July 2020. This represents a routine yearly process whereby asset thresholds and the income-from-assets exemption for the Residential Care Subsidy are increased in line with the percentage increase of the Consumers Price Index.

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