## **Memo on the changes made to the Enduring Questions document from public consultation**

**Explanatory note**

In the earlier part of 2016, a set of enduring questions was drafted by Statistics New Zealand in consultation with the Disability Data and Evidence Working Group. In August 2016, a public consultation on the draft enduring questions took place. Three workshops targeting a range of key stakeholders across New Zealand with an interest in information and research about disabled people were held. In August/September 2016, the Office for Disability Issues also hosted an online public consultation on its website.

The paper, *Feedback from public consultation on the enduring questions*, provides a summary of the major issues raised during the public consultation. In addition, this memo briefly outlines:

* key changes made to the draft set of enduring questions, following on from the public consultation
* key changes that will not be made to the draft set of enduring questions, following on from the public consultation
* list of points relating to the public consultation feedback on the draft enduring questions discussed at the Disability Data and Evidence Working Group meeting on 5 October 2016.

**Key changes made:**

* Split between cross cutting topics and other topics
* Change of topic order
* Use of ICF in definitions
* Add facilitators to all barriers questions

**Key changes that will not be made:**

* There will not be any additional topics. However question(s) may be added to do with families/relationships.
* Questions from organisational/institutional perspective
* Differentiating between types of support services (including ACC/non-ACC)
* Further detail requested will not be put in. We are favouring a broad, “catch-all” type of question than exclude things through specifying. There may be some further elaboration where necessary.

**Points to discuss at the DDEWG meeting:**

* Cost of disability (also discussed as time-cost and conversion costs)
* Bioethical issues
* Personal resilience
* Rehabilitation
* Health literacy
* Families and relationships of disabled people.