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Senator McLUCAS (Queensland) (12.25 pm)—I have one very straightforward question. In the update there is a note that says:

Areas of consideration to be added to RRMA classification.

Under certain criteria, exceptions can now be made to the standard classification method that determines whether an area is metropolitan, regional, rural or remote for some GP Programs.

Can I get an explanation of what that means, please.