Submission to Screen Australia Documentary Revision 2019

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What feedback, if any, do you have regarding the introduction of the Completion Fund?

This is good. Will people still be able apply once they have completed a project which can currently happen with PEP?

Do you have any further feedback?

none