Glossary

budget analyses Budget analyses are responses to requests from

parliamentarians that are submitted under Section 64E(1)(c) of the *Parliamentary Service Act 1999* and are often in response to requests for information about the budget.

election commitment In relation to a general election, this means a policy that a

parliamentary party has publicly announced it intends to seek to have implemented after the election, as defined in

section 7 of the Parliamentary Service Act 1999.

measure In the context of this report a measure is a government

decision that has a real or potential impact on the Budget.

policy costing Policy costings are the PBO's estimate of the financial impact

of a policy proposal.

Abbreviations and acronyms

APS Australian Public Service

DPS Department of Parliamentary Services

ICT Information and Communication Technology

JCPAA Joint Committee of Public Accounts and Audit

MYEFO Mid-Year Economic and Fiscal Outlook

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

PBO Parliamentary Budget Office

PGPA Act Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013

PGPA Rule Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014

RAP Reconciliation Action Plan

SES Senior Executive Service

SME Small and medium enterprises

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