Senate Select Committee on COVID-19

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Topic: Reasons for Ms Catherine Tanna's Resignation

Senator: Siewert

Question reference number: 0207

Type of question: Written

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Question:

Was the reason for Catherine Tanna stepping down to manage conflicts going forward related to the Narrabri project?

Answer:

No.

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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Topic: Disclosure of Mr James Fazzino's Financial Interests

Senator: Siewert

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Question:

Was James Fazzino's direct financial interests in the Narrabri Project disclosed to Prime Minister and Cabinet at any stage of his work for the Manufacturing Taskforce?

Answer:

Refer to the response to Question on Notice 0011.

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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet **Topic:** Conflict of interest disclosures related to the Narrabri Gas Project

Senator: Siewert

Question reference number: 0210

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Question:

Can PM&C release all conflict of interest disclosures released to them in so far as they relate to the Narrabri gas project?

Answer:

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