

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
2014-15 Additional Estimates Hearings

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Topic: DSS Grants Process

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Senator Moore asked:

When did the Department provide its business case for the redevelopment of FOFMS to the Department of Finance? What is the scale of the proposed redevelopment of FOFMS? Will any additional funding for the redevelopment be sought in the current (2015) budget round? What is the proposed start date for the redevelopment? How long is the redevelopment expected to take?

Answer:

The Department of Social Services submitted its Second Pass Business Case for a Grants Management Platform to the Department of Finance within the required timeframe in accordance with Budget Process Operational Rules. Progression of the Business Case is now a matter for government consideration.