Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 30/31 May 2011

Question: E11-385

OUTCOME 0: Whole of Portfolio

Topic: BOARD APPOINTMENTS

Written Question on Notice

Senator Boyce asked:

- a) What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?
- b) Please detail any board appointments for the Financial Year to Date (FYTD).

Answer:

a) As at 29 June 2011, there were 12 portfolio agency boards within the Department of Health and Ageing Portfolio. The gender ratio for these boards is:

Agency	M	F	% Females on Boards
Aged Care Standards and Accreditation Agency	4	5	56%
Australian Institute of Health and Welfare	10	7	41%
Australian Organ and Tissue Donation and			
Transplant Authority	10	5	33%
Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear			
Safety Agency	8	4	33%
Cancer Australia	4	7	64%
Food Standards Australia New Zealand	6	6	50%
General Practice Education and Training Ltd	9	10	53%
Health Workforce Australia	16	6	27%
National Blood Authority	10	2	17%
National Breast and Ovarian Cancer Centre	4	7	64%
National Health and Medical Research Council	11	8	42%
Private Health Insurance Administration Council	7	5	42%
Total	102	72	
			Portfolio average 43%

b) Please see the enclosed spreadsheet for details of board appointments for the 2010-2011 Financial Year to Date.