Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2012-13 Budget Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 6 Question No: 163

Topic: EOWA and Office for Women - Gender Equity Bill

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Senator Cash asked:

What rationale is there for the public service not being subject to this legislation?

Answer:

Refer to the Regulation Impact Statement (Attachment E) in the Equal Opportunity for Women in the Workplace Amendment Bill 2012 Explanatory Memorandum, pages 65 to 66, and the Official Committee Hansard, Senate Education, Employment and Workplace Relations Legislation Committee (18 April 2012), page 65.