

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Question No: 529

Topic: Indexing Pensions and Non-Pension Payments to CPI

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Senator Brown asked:

Has the Department done any modelling as to what the pension rate will be under the new arrangements for each of these groups (single full rate, couple full rate and Parenting Payment) under the new arrangements compared with the current arrangements, after:

- a. One year?
- b. Four years?
- c. Ten years?

Answer: Yes.

The results of the Department's modelling are provided in Question on Notice number 313, asked by Senator McLucas.