

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**Social Services Portfolio**  
**2014-15 Budget Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number: 1**

**Question No: 586**

**Topic: Indexing Pensions and Non-Pension Payments to CPI**

**Hansard Page: Written**

**Senator Brown** asked:

What comments did the department have on any proposal to index the payments only once a year?

**Answer:**

The Department cannot disclose the content and nature of its advice to Government.