

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Social Services Portfolio
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Question No: 684

Topic: Increasing the Age Pension Qualifying Age to 70

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Senator Brown asked:

Before the decision was made to increase the qualifying age to 70, was any consultation done on the proposal?

Answer:

The Department undertook no consultation however it is the Department's understanding that the Commission of Audit undertook consultation about this matter.