

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND**  
**INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO**  
**2011-12 Supplementary Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** 6

**Question No:** 169

**Topic:** Global Ambassador for Women and Girls

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**Senator Cash** asked:

How many meetings has the Office for Women had with Ms Williams?

**Answer:**

The Office has had a close working relationship with Ms Williams in the lead up to and following Ms Williams' appointment on 13 September. The Office met formally with Ms Williams and briefed her on its priorities prior to Ms Williams' appointment and has since had regular contact with her – in person, and by phone and email. This contact is supplemented by monthly meetings between the Office for Women and Ms Williams' adviser.