Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014 - 2015, 22 October 2014

Ref No: SQ14-001235

OUTCOME: 5 - Primary Health Care

Topic: National Mental Health Commission

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Wright, Penny

Question:

Has every State Government engaged in the Review?

a) If so, to what extent?

b) If not, please provide any reasons given.

Answer:

Yes.

State and territory governments have engaged to various extents including; direct provision of some data and information, referral to publicly available data and reports, and data held by centralised statistical agencies including the Australian Bureau of Statistics and the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.