Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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Topic: Documents Provided to Minister

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

1) Excluding policy or correspondence briefs, how many documents are provided to the Minister's office on a regular and scheduled basis? Including documents that are not briefs to the minister and do not require ministerial signature.

- 2) List those documents, their schedule and their purpose (broken down by ministerial signature and office for noting documents)
- 3) How are they transmitted to the office?
- 4) What mode of delivery is used (hardcopy, email) for those documents?
- 5) What level officer are they provided to in the minister's office?

Answer:

The Department of Health provides information to the Minister for Health, the Hon Peter Dutton MP's Office for briefing purposes only.