## **Economics Legislation Committee**

## ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Industry, Innovation and Science Portfolio 2015-16 Additional Budget Estimates 11 February 2016

**DEPARTMENT:** DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND SCIENCE

**TOPIC:** Contract sign off date

**REFERENCE:** Question on Notice (Hansard, 11 February 2016, page 97)

**QUESTION No.:** AI-17

Senator KIM CARR: Madam Secretary, you have mentioned the rigour of the approach that has been taken. I am told that you are required to sign off to certify that this is within the government guidelines. You have done that, I take it.

Ms Beauchamp: That is correct.

Senator KIM CARR: Also, the Independent Communications Committee is required to sign off on

it.

Ms Beauchamp: That is correct.

Senator KIM CARR: Has that been done?

Ms Beauchamp: Yes.

Senator KIM CARR: When was that done?

Ms Cook: I could take that on notice.

## **ANSWER**

Phase One of the NISA Campaign was certified by the Independent Communications Committee (ICC) on 4 December 2015.

Phase Two of the NISA Campaign was certified by the ICC on 27 January 2016.