Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Additional Estimates

2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: ACCC

Question: AET 2918-2925 **Topic:** Fee for services

Reference: written - 19 February 2016

Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

- 2918. Have any existing services provided by the department / agency moved from being free to a user-pay service? Have any additional fees been placed on existing services? If yes please provide a list and include:
- 2919. Name of the fee and a short description of what it covers.
- 2920. How much is the fee (and is it a flat fee or a percentage of the service).
- 2921. The date the fee came into place.
- 2922. Were any reviews requested, commenced or complemented into the benefits and drawbacks of attaching the fee to the service? If yes, please detail and provide a copy of the review.
- 2923. What consultation was carried out before the fee was put into place?
- 2924. How was the fee put into place (e.g. through legislation, regulation changes etc)?
- 2925. What justification is there for the fee?2926. test

Answer:

- 2918: No.
- 2919. Not applicable.
- 2920. Not applicable.
- 2921. Not applicable.
- 2922. Not applicable.
- 2923. Not applicable.
- 2924. Not applicable.
- 2925. Not applicable.