

Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: APRA
Question: AET 3276-3278
Topic: FoI Requests
Reference: Written - 01 April 2016
Senator: Ludwig, Joe & Wong, Penny

Question:

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

3276. How many requests for documents under the FOI Act have been received?
3277. Of these, how many documents have been determined to be deliberative documents?
3278. Of those assessed as deliberative documents:
- a) For how many has access to the document been refused on the basis that it would be contrary to the public interest?
 - b) For how many has a redacted document been provided?

Answer:

3276. The Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) received 26 requests for documents under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (FOI Act) during the period 14 September 2015 to 10 February 2016.
3277. Of the 26 requests, APRA has refused access to documents in response to one request on the basis that the documents are deliberative documents.
3278. a) APRA has refused access to documents in response to one request on the basis that the documents are deliberative documents and disclosure would be contrary to the public interest.
- b) None.