Senate Economics Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Department/ Agency: ABS **Question:** BET 1166-1168

Topic: FOI Requests

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Senator: Ludwig

Question:

Since September 7, 2013:

- 1166. How many requests for documents under the FOI Act have been received?
- 1167. Of these, how many documents have been determined to be deliberative documents?
- 1168. 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:

- 1166. Nine requests have been received.
- 1167. One document.
- 1168. Of those assessed as deliberative documents:
 - a. No documents have been refused for this reason.
 - b. One document.