

**Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

**Cross Portfolio**

**Department of Education Question No. ED0182\_15**

**Senator Ludwig provided in writing.**

**Question**

**Dept & all agencies: Senate estimates briefing**

- 1) How many officers were responsible for preparing the department, agency, Minister or representing Minister's briefing pack for the purposes of senate estimates?
- 2) How many officer hours were spent on preparing that information? a. Please break down the hours by officer APS classification
- 3) Were drafts shown to the Minister or their office before senate estimates?
  - a. If so, when did this occur?
  - b. How many versions of this information were shown to the minister or their office?
- 4) Did the minister or their office make any contributions, edits or suggestions for departmental changes to this information?
  - a. If so, when did this occur?
  - b. What officer hours were spent on making these edits? Please break down the hours by officer APS classification.
  - c. When were the changes made?
- 5) Provide each of the contents page of the Department/Minister/representing Minister's Senate Estimates folder prepared by the department for the Additional Estimates hearings in February 2014.

**Answer**

Please refer to ED0379\_14 (Additional Estimates). There is no change to this response.