

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

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

Cross Portfolio

Department of Education Question No. ED0462_15

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

Dept & All Agencies: Appointments

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

1. Please detail any board appointments made from to date.
2. What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?
3. Has the department instigated or changed its gender ratio target and/or any other policy intended to increase the participation rate of women on boards?
If yes, please specify what the target and policy is for each board.
4. Please specify when these gender ratio or participation policies were changed.

Answer

Question 1 and 2:

The information requested is publicly available on the Australian Government Boards website at www.ausgovboards.gov.au/.

Board appointments made are also included in the Senate Order Report – Departmental and agency appointments and vacancies, which is tabled prior to each Senate Estimates. The Senate Order Report for 5 May 2014 to 28 September 2014 is available at docs.education.gov.au/pages/information-routinely-provided-parliament.

Question 3:

No.

Question 4:

Not applicable.