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Question:

Senator McALLISTER: There is an official website around cutting red tape. When was the last time that was updated?

Ms Cvijanovic: I would have to take the specific time frame on notice. We do make revisions to the website on a reasonably frequent basis, but I would have to take on notice specifically when it was updated.

Senator McALLISTER: When you say 'reasonably frequent', is that every three months? Every six months?

Ms Cvijanovic: I see new posts every couple of months, as a general rule. We also run the OBPR website and that is updated as required. The OBPR website is updated weekly, I am advised.

Senator McALLISTER: But for the cutting red tape and regulation website you cannot tell me?

Ms Cvijanovic: Less frequently, so I would have to take that on notice.

Answer:

All contents from the official Cutting Red Tape website is now available on the Regulation page of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet website. This information is updated on a regular basis. The last update to this page was on 24 February 2017. Prior to that, the page was updated on 18 January 2017.

The Cutting Red Tape website is still available on the web but it is no longer updated.