

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

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Senator: Senator the Hon Jan McLucas

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Question:

How will policy advice from the Indigenous Advisory Council that is at odds with Coalition policy be treated by the Prime Minister?

Answer:

The Indigenous Advisory Council provides advice in accordance with its terms of reference. How that advice is used is a matter for Government.