SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Group 2

Program 108

Question No.158

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 24 February 2014:

Royal Commission into the Home Insulation Program

Before conducting media interviews on the morning of the Senate Estimates hearings in February 2014, did the Attorney or his office request prepared talking points or media assistance material from the Attorney-General's department?

- i. in what format were those talking points or other assistance delivered to the Attorney-General or his office?
- ii. When were they requested and when were they received?
- iii. Table those documents

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

It is not appropriate to provide an answer to a question directed to advice which may have been provided to Ministers.