

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

**Program: Family Court of Australia**

**Question No. AE17/065**

**Senator Pratt asked the following question at the hearing on 28 February 2017:**

How have Government cuts to Legal Aid affected the Courts' timelines, workloads and functions?

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

The Family Court of Australia is unable to say whether the cuts to Legal Aid have affected the Courts' timelines, workload and functions.