

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 20 OCTOBER 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE14/019) PROGRAMME – Internal Product

Senator Reynolds (L&CA 46) asked:

Senator REYNOLDS: I have one final question on that. Is the process underway now for tribunal members in any way different from the process of previous years?

Ms Cosson: I will need to confirm this, but my understanding is that we applied the general rules of the merit and transparency guidelines that are issued by the Public Service Commission—unless they have changed. I will make sure that that is accurate. I will take it on notice.

Mr Pezzullo: We will take that on notice.

Answer:

The process was undertaken in accordance with the Australian Public Service Commission Merit and Transparency guidelines.