

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee**
Answers to questions on notice
Environment portfolio

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Hearing: Additional Estimates
Outcome: Corporate
Programme: Policy and Communications Division (PCD)
Topic: Ministerial staff code
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Question Type: Written

Senator Ludwig asked:

1. Can the Minister confirm that all ministerial and electorate officers in their office comply fully with the ministerial staff code of conduct?
 - a) If not, how many staff don't comply, broken down by classification level?
 - b) How long have they worked for the Minister?
2. Can you confirm they all complied with the code on the date of their employment?
 - a) If not, on what date did they comply?
3. Can you confirm that all disclosures as required by the code were made to the government staffing committee?
 - a) If so, on what date were those disclosure made?

Answer:

- 1-3) These questions should be directed to relevant ministerial offices or the Special Minister of State.