

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

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Question: aet 26 (AOFM)

Topic: Opinion Polls/ Market Research

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Senator WONG asked:

- (1) What sum was spent on opinion polls, focus groups or market research in 2006 by each department and agency in the Minister's portfolio?
- (2) Will the Ministers provide a list of the opinion polls, focus groups, or market research agencies what are used by department and agencies in the Minister's portfolio?
- (3) How much of the opinion polls, focus groups or market research expenditure of agencies or departments was conducted at the request of the Minister's office?
- (4) What benefit-cost assessments have been done which assess the returns from opinion polls, focus groups of market research?

Answer:

With respect to the AOFM:

- (1) Nil.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) Not applicable.