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Senator COONAN asked:

Senator COONAN—I was wondering if you have updated at all the Productivity Commission research referred to there which identified the role of workplace change and flexibility in raising productivity. Has there been any—

Mr Tune—We have not at all. I could not tell you whether the Productivity Commission has, but I can take that on notice if you wish.

Senator COONAN—If you would, thank you. The OECD growth study would be a bit out of date. Have you got some information that is more relevant?

Mr Tune—I would have to check that as well, thank you.

Answer:

We are not aware of any updated information from the Productivity Commission on this topic.