Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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26 February 2014

Question: AET 2911-2915

Topic: Question Time (RAM)

Written: 5 March 2014

Senator LUDWIG asked:

- 2911. How many officers are responsible for preparing the department, agency, Minister or representing Minister's briefing pack for the purposes of Question Time?
- 2912. How many officer hours are spent each sitting day on preparing that information?
- 2913. Are drafts shown to the Minister or their office before Question Time?
- 2914. Does the minister or their office make any contributions, edits or suggestions for departmental changes to this information?
- 2915. Provide each of the contents page of the Minister and representing Minister's Question Time folder prepared by the department for the week of 11 February 2014.

Answer:

- 2911. The Royal Australian Mint is not required to be involved in preparing Question Time Briefings.
- 2912. Not applicable to the Royal Australian Mint.
- 2913. Not applicable to the Royal Australian Mint.
- 2914. Not applicable to the Royal Australian Mint.
- 2915. Not applicable to the Royal Australian Mint.