Senate Standing Committee on Economics ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio
Budget Estimates
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Question No: BET 176

Topic: Reviews

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Senator Bushby asked:

What is the total number of Reviews both completed and ongoing in the portfolio/agency or affecting the portfolio agency this financial year?

Please provide a breakdown of reviews completed this financial year including:

- i. when those reviews were provided to Government,
- ii. estimated cost of producing each review (and total cost) and
- iii. if the Government has responded to the review or information about when the Government has indicated it will/will not respond to the review.

How many reviews are ongoing?

How many reviews have been completed since October estimates?

What further reviews are planned in the portfolio/agency?

ANSWER

What is the total number of Reviews both completed and ongoing in the portfolio/agency or affecting the portfolio agency this financial year?

Answer: 29

Please provide a breakdown of reviews completed this financial year including:

- i. when those reviews were provided to Government,
- ii. estimated cost of producing each review (and total cost) and
- iii. if the Government has responded to the review or information about when the Government has indicated it will/will not respond to the review.

Answer: Details have been provided in the attached spreadsheet.

How many reviews are ongoing?

Answer: 17

How many reviews have been completed since October estimates?

Answer: 12 (Refer to the attached spreadsheet for details)

What further reviews are planned in the portfolio/agency?

Answer: None