Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: INNOVATION, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

TOPIC: Innovation Review

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Abetz

QUESTION No.: SI-28

Please provide the total cost of the Cutler Innovation Review Please provide the total paid to Dr Terry Cutler.

ANSWER

Total cost of the Review of the National Innovation System, as at the end of October 2008: \$1,894,876.80 (GST inclusive)

Total amount paid to Dr Terry Cutler for consultancy services: \$270,600 (GST inclusive)

In addition, Dr Terry Cutler was paid the following amount for travel expenses related to the Review of the National Innovation System: \$10,622.47 (GST inclusive)