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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: INNOVATION, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

TOPIC: Stem Cell Centre

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Boswell

QUESTION No.: SI-5

Why was the Chief Executive Stephen Livesey sacked by the board a couple of months ago

ANSWER

The ASCC is an independent corporation and is responsible for its own corporate decisions. The ASCC made a statement on this matter which can be accessed on its website at:

[http://www.stemcellcentre.edu.au/resources.ashx/mediareleaseschilddatadownloads/41/fileName/5D97229E13827D89BCAD4CF6254B7A44/30_July_2008_-Statement from the Australian Stem Cell Centre.pdf](http://www.stemcellcentre.edu.au/resources.ashx/mediareleaseschilddatadownloads/41/fileName/5D97229E13827D89BCAD4CF6254B7A44/30_July_2008_-Statement_from_the_Australian_Stem_Cell_Centre.pdf)