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SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2004-2005 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING

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DEST Question No. E767_05

Senator Crossin asked on 16 February 2005, EWRE Hansard page 55.

Question:

When was DEST informed of the decision to rule out site 40a as the location? My question to you a moment ago about when DEST was informed of the decision may well be an appropriate question for me to ask. I did not ask when cabinet decided. I did not ask about any information about a cabinet decision. I simply asked when DEST was informed of the decision. Are you telling me that it was the same day that the Prime Minister announced it?

Answer:

Decision on Site 40a

DEST was informed on 13 July 2004 of the decision to rule out site 40a.