

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Finance and Administration Portfolio**

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**Question: F22**

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**Topic: Statements of Private Interests by MOP(S) staff**

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**Senator Faulkner asked:**

You noticed that it was an area that could be improved. We do not know what those figures are. This is at the end of the Parliament. Would you have any statistics available for September and October? From Mr Edge's previous evidence and yours, I would assume that there would be statistics available from 1 September and 1 October 2004. Would that be right? Do you have them available now?

**Answer:**

The following figures show the number of employees that Ministerial and Parliamentary Services were notified had submitted Statements of Private Interests. They do not necessarily reflect the number that had completed and submitted Statements to their employing Minister:

01 September 2004	77 of 512 Employees
01 October 2004	77 of 520 Employees