

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation  
Committee—Additional Estimates 2004-05 (February 2005)**

**Parliament Portfolio, Department of Parliamentary Services**

**Answers to Questions on Notice**

**Topic: Joint Library Committee terms of reference**

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Senator Faulkner: So recommendation 5.2 of Mr Podger is not going to be adhered to and I would say ignored. Recommendation 5.3 goes to strengthening the terms of reference to the Joint Library Committee. Some work has been done in the Speaker's office that you do not know anything about. Can we have a copy, please, of these proposed strengthened terms of reference for the Library Committee?

The PRESIDENT: I have not seen them. If they do exist I will have a look at them and if you wish them to be provided I will do that.

**Answer:**

The President of the Senate, Senator Calvert, responded by letter dated 25 February 2005 to Senator Mason as chair of the Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee.