Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Finance and Deregulation Portfolio National Archives of Australia Additional Estimates Hearing – February 2008



Question: F6(a) - (e)

Outcomes 1 and 2

Topic: Board Appointments, vacancies, grants, fund movements and election

commitments

Written Question on Notice

Senator Minchin asked:

F6 (a) - List all appointments which have been made by the Government (though Executive Council, Cabinet and Ministers) to Statutory Authorities, Executive Agencies and Advisory Boards, with a brief outline of the respective appointee's credentials.

F6 (b) - Provide a list of all vacancies which remain to be filled by Ministerial (including Cabinet and Executive Council) appointments.

F6 (c) - Provide a list of all grants which have been approved by Ministers from within their portfolio.

F6 (d) - Provide a list of requests to the Department of Finance to move funds within each portfolio.

F6 (e) - Provide a complete list of the Government's election promises made during the campaign, and which Department is responsible for the administration of each of these commitments.

Answer:

F6 (a)

Please refer to Part (1) of the response to Senate Question on Notice 117.

F6 (b)

As at 26 March 2008, four membership level vacancies remain on the National Archives of Australia Advisory Council to be filled by Ministerial appointment

F6 (c), (d) and (e)

Please refer to the responses provided to question F1 (c), (d) and (e).