

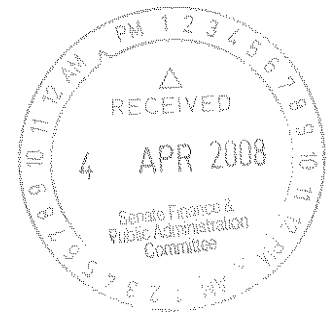
Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Human Services Portfolio

Department of Human Services

Additional Estimates 2007-08 – February 2008



Question: HS57

Outcome 1, Output 1

Topic: Department of Human Services – Local Liaison Officers

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SENATOR COONAN asked on 22/02/2008:

Will the Department continue to maintain statistics or other similar relevant information as to the quantity, nature, processing time, and of the relevant information with respect to contacts made by or on behalf of Members of Parliament with the Agencies?

Answer:

Former coordination and reporting activities to support LLO activity have now ceased. Matters raised by Members of Parliament and Senators in writing will continue to be managed as part of the Human Services agencies' regular Ministerial and Parliamentary monitoring and reporting arrangements.