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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Senator Fifield asked: As at 12 February 2008 had all Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries resigned all their directorships in accordance with clause 2.4 of the Standards of Ministerial Ethics? If not, please provide full details including details of the directorships that had not been resigned and when they were resigned after 12 February 2008, if indeed they have been.

Answer: Ministers are required by their respective Houses to register their private interests, and the information they provide is on the public record. The Prime Minister has indicated that he is confident that Ministers will abide by that requirement and by the Standards of Ministerial Ethics.