

**Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio  
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**Question: PM27**

**Outcome 1, Output 4**

**Topic: Freezing of wages**

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**Senator Murray asked: Senator MURRAY - ...My real question is: if this is underway, has the Prime Minister called for advice as to whether this same freeze can apply to any public sector worker earning over the benchmark of \$127,060?**

**Senator Chris Evans - I do not know the answer to your question about advice in relation to those persons. I am happy to take it on notice;...**

**Answer: No.**