Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Additional Estimates Hearing – February 2010

Future Fund Management Agency

Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

Outcome 1, Program 1

Topic: Commonwealth and state debt

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Number of Pages: 1 Senator Joyce asked:

What proportion of the Future Fund is invested in Commonwealth and State debt?

Answer:

The Future Fund has no investments in State debt.

The Future Fund holds no debt securities issued by the Commonwealth, but has an exposure to 10 year Commonwealth futures through an interest overlay account. Capital used in this exposure is \$187 million or 0.3% of the Future Fund (ex Telstra).