

**Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration**

**ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

**Additional Estimates Hearing – February 2010**

**Department of Finance and Deregulation**

**Finance and Deregulation Portfolio**

**Outcome 2, Program 2.1**

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**Senator FIFIELD asked:**

What has the department of finance done itself in relation to taking advantage of this exemption as the department which is responsible for procurement and which has provided this exemption?

**Answer:**

To date, the Department of Finance and Deregulation has not engaged any exempt companies.