#### Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

### ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Additional Estimates 13-16 Feb 2012

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

**Department/Agency:** Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet **Outcome/Program:** 1.1.3 Strategic Policy and Implementation **Topic:** Community Cabinet

Senator: Senator Birmingham Question reference number: 53 Type of Question: Written Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 30 March 2012 Number of pages: 13

#### **Question:**

Please provide a table detailing each Minister's attendance at all Community Cabinet meetings from November 2007 to 13 February 2012.

Please include Parliamentary Secretaries.

#### Answer:

Based on available data, a list is provided at Attachment A.

Minister	Portfolio	WĂ	Narangba QLD	Penrith NSW	Mackay QLD	Yirrkala NT	Hallett Cove SA	Lambton NSW	Launceston TAS	Corio VIC
		20-Jan-08	2-Mar-08	15-Apr-08	29-Jun-08	23-Jul-08	14-Aug-08	29-Sep-08	5-Nov-08	7-Dec-08
ALBANESE	Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and local Government									
BURKE	Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry									
CARR	Innovation, Industry, Science and Research									
CONROY	Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy									
CREAN	Minister for Trade									
EVANS	Immigration and Citizenship									
FAULKNER	Special Minister of State									
FERGUSON	Resources and Energy, Tourism									
FITZGIBBON	Defence									
GARRETT	Environment, Heritage and the Arts									
GILLARD	Education, Employment and Workplace Relations, Social Inclusion									
LUDWIG	Human Services									
MACKLIN	Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs									
MCCLELLAND	Attorney-General									

# Cabinet Ministers Attendance at Community Cabinet 2008 (shaded areas indicate attendance)

Cabinet Ministers Attendance at Community Cabinet 2008 cont. (shaded areas indicate attendance)

Minister	Portfolio	Canning Vale	Narangba QLD	Penrith NSW	Mackay QLD	Yirrkala NT	Hallett Cove	Lambton NSW	Launceston	Corio VIC
		WA					SA		TAS	
		20-Jan-08	2-Mar-08	15-Apr-08	29-Jun-08	23-Jul-08	14-Aug-08	29-Sep-08	5-Nov-08	7-Dec-08
ROXON	Health and Ageing									
RUDD	Prime Minister									
SMITH	Foreign Affairs									
SWAN	Treasurer									
TANNER	Finance and Deregulation									
WONG	Climate Change and Water									

Other Ministers attending Community Cabinet 2008 (shaded areas indicate attendance)

Other		-	Narangba QLD	Penrith NSW	Mackay QLD	Yirrkala NT		Lambton NSW		Corio VIC
Ministers		WA					SA		TAS	
		20-Jan-08	2-Mar-08	15-Apr-08	29-Jun-08	23-Jul-08	14-Aug-08	29-Sep-08	5-Nov-08	7-Dec-08
PLIBERSEK	Housing									
O'CONNOR	Employment Participation									
SHERRY	Superannuation and Corporated Law									
ELLIOT	Aging									
ELLIS	Youth									
SNOWDEN	Defence Science and Personnel									

Parliamentary		Canning Vale	Narangba QLD	Penrith NSW	Mackay QLD	Yirrkala NT	Hallett Cove	Lambton NSW	Launceston	Corio VIC
Secretaries		WA					SA		TAS	
		20-Jan-08	2-Mar-08	15-Apr-08	29-Jun-08	23-Jul-08	14-Aug-08	29-Sep-08	5-Nov-08	7-Dec-08
GRAY	Regional Development and Northern Australia									
BYRNE	Prime Minister									
MCKEW	Childhood Education and Childcare									
Laurie FERGUSON	Multicultural Affairs and Settlement Services									
SHORTON	Disabilities and Children's Services Victorian Bushfire Reconstruction									

## Parliamentary Secretaries attending Community Cabinet 2008 (shaded areas indicate attendance)

Cabinet Ministers Attendance at Community Cabinet 2009 (shaded areas indicate attendance)

Minister	Portfolio	Campt'n NSW	Ballajura WA	Emerald VIC	Minister	Portfolio	Beenleigh QLD	Elizabeth SA	Port Macquarie NSW	Geraldton WA	Hobart TAS	Bathurst NSW	Townsville QLD
		17-Feb-09	22-Apr-09	19-May-09			30-Jun-09	28-Jul-09	25-Aug-09	1-Oct-09	13-Oct-09	9-Nov-09	8-Dec-09
ALBANESE	Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and local Government				ALBANESE	Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and local Government							
BOWEN	Assistant Treasurer Competition Policy and Consumer Affairs				BOWEN	Human Services Financial Services, Superannuation and Corporate Law							
BURKE	Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry				BURKE	Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry							
CARR	Innovation, Industry, Science and Research				CARR	Innovation, Industry, Science and Research							
CONROY	Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy				CONROY	Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy							
CREAN	Trade				CREAN	Trade							
EVANS	Immigration and Citizenship				EVANS	Immigration and Citizenship							
FAULKNER	Special Minister of State				FAULKNER	Defence							
FERGUSON	Resources and Energy				FERGUSON	Resources and Energy							
FITZGIBBON until Emerald GARRETT	Defence Environment,				GARRETT	Environment,							
UAINE I I	Heritage and the Arts				OANNE I I	Heritage and the Arts							

Minister	Portfolio	Campt'n NSW	Ballajura WA	Emerald VIC	Minister	Portfolio	Beenleigh QLD	Elizabeth SA	Port Macquarie NSW	Geraldton WA	Hobart TAS	Bathurst NSW	Townsville QLD
		17-Feb-09	22-Apr-09	19-May-09			30-Jun-09	28-Jul-09	25-Aug-09	1-Oct-09	13-Oct-09	9-Nov-09	8-Dec-09
GILLARD	Education Employment and Workplace Relations Social Inclusion				GILLARD	Education Employment and Workplace Relations Social Inclusion							
LUDWIG	Human Services				LUDWIG	Cabinet Secretary Special Minister of							
MACKLIN	Families, Housing, Community				MACKLIN	Families, Housing, Community Services							
MCCLELLAND	Attorney-General				MCCLELLAND	Attorney-General							
ROXON	Health and Ageing				ROXON	Health and Ageing							
RUDD	Prime Minister				RUDD	Prime Minister							
SMITH	Foreign Affairs				SMITH	Foreign Affairs							
SWAN	Treasurer				SWAN	Treasurer							
TANNER	Finance and Deregulation				TANNER	Finance and Deregulation							
WONG	Climate Change and Water				WONG	Climate Change and Water							

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O'CONNOR	Employment Participation				O'CONNOR	Home Affairs							
ELLIOTT	Ageing				ELLIOTT	Ageing							
ELLIS	Sport				ELLIS	Sport							
PLIBERSEK	Housing Status of Women				PLIBERSEK	Housing Status of Women							
SNOWDEN	Defence Science and Personnel				SNOWDEN	Indigenous Health, Rural and Regional							
SHERRY	Superannuation and Corporate Law				SHERRY	Assistant Treasurer							
GRIFFIN	Veteran's Affairs				GRIFFIN	Veterans Affairs							
ARBIB					ARBIB	Employment Participation							
BYRNE	To the PM				BYRNE	To the PM							
GRAY	Regional Development and Northern Australia				GRAY	Western and Northern Australia							

Parlilamentary Secretary	Portfolio	NSW	Ballajura WA 22-Apr-09	VIC		Portfolio	Beenleigh QLD 30-Jun-09	Elizabeth SA 28-Jul-09	Port Macquarie NSW 25-Aug-09	Geraldton WA 1-Oct-09	Hobart TAS 13-Oct-09	Bathurst NSW 9-Nov-09	Townsville QLD 8-Dec-09
SHORTEN	Disabilities and Children's Services Victorian Bushfire Reconstruction				SHORTEN	Disabilities and Children's Services Victorian Bushfire Reconstruction							
KELLY	Defence Support Water				KELLY	Defence Support Water							

Parliamentary Secretaries attending Community Cabinet 2009 (shaded areas indicate attendance)

Minister	Portfolio	Adelaide SA	Ballarat VIC	Epping NSW	Burnie TAS	Perth WA	Minister	Portfolio	Redcliffe Peninsula QLD
		20-Feb-10	18-Feb-10	15-Apr-10	19-May-10	9-Jun-10			2-Dec-10
ALBANESE	Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and local						ALBANESE	Infrastructure and Transport	
BOWEN	Human Services Financial Services,						BOWEN	Immigration and Citizenship	
BURKE	Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry						BURKE	Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and	
CARR	Innovation, Industry, Science and Research						CONROY	Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy	
CONROY	Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy						EVANS	Tertiary Education, Skills. Jobs and Workplace Relations	
CREAN	Trade						GARRETT	School Education, Early Childhood and Youth	
EVANS	Immigration and Citizenship						GILLARD	Prime Minister	
FAULKNER	Defence						LUDWIG	Agriculture, Fisheries and Forests	
FERGUSON	Resources and Energy Tourism						MACKLIN	Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs	
GARRETT	Environment, Heritage and the Arts						ROXON	Health and Ageing	
GILLARD	Education Employment and Workplace						SWAN	Treasurer	
LUDWIG	Special Minister of State							-	
MACKLIN	Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs								

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MCCLELLAND	Attorney-General					
ROXON	Health and Ageing					
RUDD	Prime Minister					
SMITH	Foreign Affairs					
SWAN	Treasurer					
TANNER	Finance and Deregulation					
WONG	Climate Change and Water					

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Other Ministers attending Community Cabinet 2010 (shaded areas indicate attendance)

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O'CONNOR	Home Affairs						
ELLIOTT	Ageing						
ELLIS	Early Childhood Education, Childcare and Youth						
PLIBERSEK	Housing, Status of Women						
SHERRY	Assistant Treasurer						

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GRIFFIN	Veteran's Affairs						
ARBIB	Employment Participation						
DREYFUS	Cabinet Secretary						
GRAY	Western and Northern Australia						
CLARE	Employment						
MARLES	Innovation and Industry						
LUNDY	To the Prime Minister						

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SHORTEN	Disabilities and Children's Services Victorian Bushfire Reconstruction						
BYRNE	To the Prime Minister						

		Fremantle	•	Palmerston	Yeronga	Kingston	Werribee
		WA	SA	NT	QLD	TAS	VIC
Minister	Portfolio	30 Mar 11	19 May 11	29 Jun 11	1 Sep 11	3 Oct 11	9 Nov 11
ALBANESE	Infrastructure and Transport						
BOWEN	Immigration and Citizenship						
BURKE	Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities						
CARR	Innovation, Industry, Science and Research						
COMBET	Climate Change and Energy Efficiency						
CONROY	Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy						
CREAN	Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government, Arts						
EVANS	Tertiary Education, Skills. Jobs and Workplace Relations						
GARRETT	School Education, Early Childhood and Youth						
GILLARD	Prime Minister						
LUDWIG	Agriculture, Forests and Fisheries						
MACKLIN	Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs						
MCCLELLAND	Attorney General						
ROXON	Health and Ageing						
RUDD	Foreign Affairs						
SMITH	Defence						
SWAN	Treasurer						
WONG	Finance and Deregulation						

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		Fremantle		Palmerston	Yeronga	Kingston	Werribee
		WA	SA	NT	QLD	TAS	VIC
Other Minister	Portfolio	30 Mar 11	19 May 11	29 Jun 11	1 Sep 11	3 Oct 11	9 Nov 11
ARBIB	Development, Sport, Social Housing and Homelessness						
BUTLER	Mental Health and Aging						
CLARE	Defence Materiel						
ELLIS	Employment Participation and Childcare, Status of Women						
GRAY	Special Minister of State						
O'CONNOR	Home Affairs, Justice, Privacy and Freedom of Information						
PLIBERSEK	Human Services, Social Inclusion						
SHERRY	Small Business,						
SHORTEN	Assistant Treasurer						
SNOWDEN	Veteran's Affairs, Defence Science and Personnel						
COLLINS, Julie	Community Services						
COLLINS, Jacinta	School Education and Workplace Relations						
DREYFUS	Climate Change and Energy Efficiency						
FARRELL	Sustainability and Urban Water						
KING	Health and Ageing						