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Answers to Questions on Notice

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Senator FAULKNER—You may have it here, but if you do not I understand. Could you provide a list of those other classifications where these anomalies occur?

Mr Kenny—We will have to do that on notice.

Senator FAULKNER—I understand that. So these positions are called Hansard editors IV?

Mr Kenny—The ones we have been talking about are Hansard editors IV.

Senator FAULKNER—If you could take on notice the other anomalies and the nature of the anomalies, that would be helpful.

Answer:

In addition to the Hansard editor IV scenarios that were discussed there are 3 other types of anomaly:

- (a) the Junior Editor, Editor II and Technical Officer 2 classifications do not meet the extant Classification Rules;
- (b) 17 of the pay points used in the former departments are below the relevant pay scale; and
- (c) 4 of the pay points used in the former departments are above the relevant pay scale.