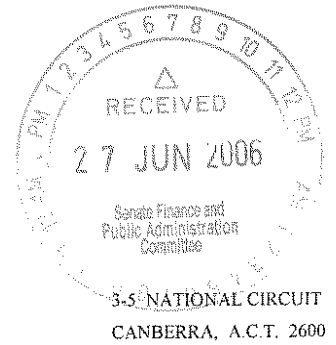




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Dear Mr Sands

**RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS TAKEN ON NOTICE  
2005-06 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS – 22-23 MAY 2006**

The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet appeared at Budget Estimates on 22 and 23 May 2006. The department took 32 questions on notice.

Three responses have been forwarded to your previously (PM16, 20 & 30). Attached is the response to PM 19. The department will provide the remaining 28 responses as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

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