

Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

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Question: PM152

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Topic: What initiatives or other undertakings of the Howard Government will be maintained under the Rudd Government

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Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked: In relation to each agency within the Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio, please answer the following questions in relation to each of the Federal seats of Banks, Lowe, Bennelong, Macquarie, Cunningham, Throsby, Barton, Watson, Charlton and Werriwa:

What programs, initiatives or other undertakings of the Howard Government will be maintained under the Rudd Government?

Answer: The Government has made various decisions, including in the Budget context, about the establishment of new programs and initiatives, and changes and terminations to existing programs and initiatives. These are detailed in Portfolio Budget Statements, including for the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet. There are no programs in the Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio that are implemented or allocated differentially on the basis of Federal electorates.