Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio Department of Climate Change Budget Estimates Hearing-May 2009

Written question reference: CC24a-b

Outcome/Output: Outcome 1, Output Group 1.1 – Response to climate change

Topic: Graduate program cutbacks

Hansard Page: Not relevant for written QoN

Question: (Senator Birmingham)

- a) Is the department cutting back on its graduate intake? If so, by how much and when, and how many graduate places are being cut? To what areas in the department would these positions have gone?
- b) Has a date been set for when the program will be re-established?

Answer:

- a) The Department is not cutting back on its graduate intake.
- b) Not applicable.