

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

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Senator RONALDSON-Do you know whether Mr Jordan said to Mr Harris, 'This is a very serious allegation that has been made against you and you should demand an apology-

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Senator Faulkner-I do not know whether he has done that. What I do know-

Senator RONALDSON-Could you take that on notice too?

Answer: The Department is advised Mr Jordan did not ask Mr Harris to seek an apology.