

Senate Finance and Public Administration Standing Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates for 2009-10 (May 2009)

Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General
Outcome/Output Group:

Outcome 1: The Governor-General is enabled to perform the constitutional, statutory, ceremonial and public duties associated with the appointment.

Output Group 1.1 – Support of the Governor-General,

Output Group 1.2 – Administration of the Australian Honours and Awards system

Topic: Staffing

Senator: RONALDSON

Question reference number: PM8

Type of question: Hansard, 25 May p.69

Senator RONALDSON—When were you advised that the former deputy would be leaving?

Mr Brady—I would have to check. It was immediately he received confirmation that he had been appointed as Usher of the Black Rod. I cannot recall the date.

Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 10 July 2009

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Answer:

The former Deputy Official Secretary notified the Official Secretary of his intention to take the promotion to the Senate on 11 December 2008 with the effective resignation date being 16 January 2009.