

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Finance and Administration Portfolio

Department of Finance and Administration

Supplementary Estimates 2002-2003 – 20 November 2002

Question: F64

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Topic: MOP(S) Staff Classifications

Hansard page: N/A

Written Question on Notice:

Senator Faulkner asked:

In relation to the 33 Government staff with Personal Classifications, which allow them to be classified and paid at a level above the substantive position they occupy, is this type of Personal Classification available to Opposition staff?

Answer:

As advised to the Committee by the Special Minister of State at the hearing on 20 November 2002 (Hansard page F&PA 73) it is open to the Opposition to approach the Government setting out a case for a personal classification.