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Dear Mr Sands

**RESPONSES TO SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS TAKEN ON NOTICE  
2004-05 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING – 24 & 25 MAY 2004**

The department took 41 questions on notice for the department. Senator Murray placed one written question on notice and a question from Senator Harradine at the Senate Community Affairs Committee was also referred to the department. One question was withdrawn (PM3) as it was deemed to have been answered at the hearing. Four supplementary questions on notice were received leaving a total of 46 questions on notice.

The department has previously submitted 23 responses (PM4-11, PM14-16 [part A and B], PM21-22, PM24-27, PM39, PM50-52 and PM55) to questions taken on notice for the hearing of 24 and 25 May 2004 and three responses to supplementary questions (PM1, PM5 and PM7). I now attach the response to the final supplementary question PM4. The department will provide the remainder of responses as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

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