

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Finance and Administration Portfolio

Australian Electoral Commission

Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearings 2005-06 – 01 November 2005

Question: F17

Outcome: Australian Electoral Commission

Topic: liberals for forests How-To-Vote (HTV) cards in the Division of Richmond

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Senator Brandis asked:

What was said to you through the intermediate officer specifically on the topic of colour [regarding the liberals for forests HTV card]? Would you please also, in giving us the answer on notice, produce a photocopy of your note [if you made one]? If there was a memo to you at the time, can you provide a photocopy of the memo as well?

Answer:

Mr Dacey was informed verbally on the morning of 9 October 2005, when the first complaint was received, that the liberals for forests HTV card was blue and yellow. No notes or memos of the discussion were made by Mr Dacey.