



3 February 2006

Mr Alistair Sands
Secretary
Senate Finance and Public Administration
Legislation Committee
Parliament House
Canberra ACT 2600

Dear Mr Sands

**2005-06 Supplementary Budget Hearings - Questions on Notice
Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General**

The Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General undertook to provide further information in response to a number of questions asked during the Committee's hearings on 31 October 2005.

The response to the questions taken on notice is attached. I apologise for the delay in responding to the Committee's questions.

If you would like any further information in relation to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me on 6283 3510.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary Bullivant".

Gary Bullivant
Corporate Manager