

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Office of the Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security

Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearings 2006-2007, 30 October 2006

Question: PM 76.

Outcome 1, Output 1

Topic: Question on Notice

Senator Ludwig asked:

- (1) What sum did the department spend during 2005-2006 on external
(a) Barristers**

Answer: Nil

- (b) solicitors (including private firms, the Australian Government Solicitor and any others).**

Answer: \$40,006 (GST inclusive).

- (2) What sum did the department spend on internal legal services.**

Answer: Nil

- (3) What is the department's projected expenditure on legal services for 2006-2007.**

Answer: \$40,000