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Senator HUMPHRIES-I might address a question to the minister. The article that Mr Sayers referred to was in the Canberra Times in, I think, late June. It suggested that this was an idea on the agenda of the former Prime Minister, Mr Rudd. Is there still consideration being given by the government to a museum of the stolen generations?

Senator Arbib-I am not sure about that, Senator. I am happy to find out for you, though.

Senator HUMPHRIES-Thank you very much.

Senator Arbib-I will take it on notice.

Answer:

The Government is not giving consideration to a proposal for a museum of the stolen generations.