

Senate Finance and Public Administration Standing Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES 2010-2011
Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Department/Agency: Australian Public Service Commission

Outcome/Output Group: 1.1

Topic: Board Appointments

Senator: Abetz

Question reference number: PM 122

- a) What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?
- b) What is the gender ratio of appointments made to boards since Budget Estimates 2010?
- c) Are you implementing the Government target of 40 per cent women appointed to Boards?

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Answer:

- a) The Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal's gender ratio is currently 50:50, with one vacancy. The Remuneration Tribunal's gender ratio is currently 66:33 in favour of males.
- b) No appointments have been made to either Tribunal since Budget Estimates 2010
- c) Where possible the Commission is committed to implementing the Government target of 40 per cent women appointed to boards.