

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearing – October 2010
ANSWER TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General

Program 1: Support for the Governor-General and Official Activities

Outcome 1: The performance of the Governor-General's role is facilitated through the organisation and management of official duties, management and maintenance of the official household and property and administration of the Australian Honours and Awards system.

Topic: FOI requests

Senator: ABETZ

Question reference number: PM123

Type of Question: Written

Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 3 December 2010

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Answer:

- a) The Office has sought both general and specific advice from the Australian Government Solicitor in relation to FOI matters.
- b) To date in the 2010-11 FY, nil. For previous years see the relevant Annual Report.
- c) To date in the 2010-11 FY, nil. For previous years see the relevant Annual Report.
- d) No conclusive certificates were issued.
- e) N/A
- f) N/A