Senate Finance and Public Administration Committee

Senate Finance and Public Administration Standing Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Supplementary Budget Estimates, 18 October 2010

Prime Minister & Cabinet

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Topic: Administrative Arrangements Orders

Senator: Abetz

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Question:

- a) Can you detail what changes have occurred in your portfolio as a result of the Administrative Arrangements Orders published on 14 September 2010.
- i. Were there any costs associated with these changes (for example changes to departmental signage or whether refurbishment or additional space will need to be leased to accommodate new staff. Alternatively, will agencies be left with empty office space due to loss of staff). Please provide details
- ii. Were there any staff changes as a result (staff transferring to or from your agency)? If yes, please detail what the staff changes were, including a breakdown of changes to each SES band, each Executive Level band and each APS band.
- b) Were there any changes in your portfolio as a result of the Administrative Arrangements Orders published on 14 October 2010.
- i. Were there any costs associated with these changes (for example changes to departmental signage). Please provide details.
- ii. Were there any staff changes as a result (staff transferring to or from your agency)? If yes, please detail what the staff changes were, including a breakdown of changes to each SES band, each Executive Level band and each APS band.
- c) Can you describe what, if any, Administrative Arrangements Orders occurred in our portfolio between November 2007 and July 2010? Please detail the costs associated with these.

Answer:

Nil response