

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012**

Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

**Department/Agency:** Department of Finance and Deregulation

**Outcome/Program:** 1/ 1.1

**Topic:** Future Fund Sale of Assets

**Senator:** Cormann

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**Question:**

Has there ever before been cash from the sale of a non-financial asset by the Future Fund that has hit the cash balance of the budget?

**Answer:**

No, since the establishment of the Future Fund by the *Future Fund Act 2006*, there have been no sales of a non-financial asset prior to 2011-12, and as a result no cash proceeds have hit the cash balance of the budget prior to 2011-12.