

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

Supplementary Budget Estimates 17-20 October 2011

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

**Department/Agency:** Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

**Outcome/Program:** 1.1.1 Domestic Policy

**Topic:** Carbon Price Legislation

**Senator:** Senator Ryan

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**Question:**

1. How was your department/agency consulted in the development of the carbon price package?
2. Is the carbon price package consistent with all of the policies in your department/agency?

**Answer:**

1. Departmental representatives participated in inter-departmental committees and reviewed a range of documents that informed the development of the Clean Energy Future plan.
2. Yes.