

**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:** 1.1.4 Support Services for Government Operations

**Topic:** Stylists and presentation advisors for the Prime Minister

**Senator:** Senator Ryan

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**Question:**

Senator Chris Evans: The officer will take on notice the contracts of people who assist in speech-making type functions and we will give you the list of contacts.

Senator RYAN: I am also interested in whether there are any other services of the nature that I mentioned.

[...]

Senator RYAN: A clothes stylist, hairdresser - presentation. Voice training is another service that might be utilised.

CHAIR: A wine adviser - like the former Prime Minister.

Senator BERNARDI: That is not a stylist.

Senator RYAN: No, that is not a stylist.

CHAIR: No, but it is a wine adviser.

Ms Leon: I will take that on notice.

Senator Chris Evans: We will take the question in the broadest possible terms.

**Answer:**

The department has not funded any of the services described by Senator Ryan.