

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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**Senator:** Senator Abetz

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**Question:**

Senator ABETZ: The legislative council has already indicated a particular stance. Time is short? Minister, could you take on notice whether any direct representations were made to the Prime Minister in relation to the Intergovernmental Agreement by the member for Lyons, the member for Bass, the member for Franklin or the member for Braddon?

Senator Chris Evans: I will take that on notice. I am not sure whether I regard conversations or representations between a member of the House of Representatives and the Prime Minister as something that one would necessarily report at estimates, but I will take the question on notice.

**Answer:**

See the answer to PM45.