# SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

#### **Sub Program 1.2.4**

#### **Question No. 72**

### Senator Brandis asked the following question at the hearing on 8 February 2010:

Regarding the toilet paper investigation:

- a) Is there a point in the process where the party adversely affected by the vacation of the original decision is entitled to be heard to argue why the decision ought not to be vacated?
- b) At what stage in this procedural sequence were representations received by the Trade Measures Review Officer?

## The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

- a) Yes. An interested party is entitled to make a submission to the Review Officer no later than 30 days after public notice of the review is published.
- b) Public notice of the review was published by the Review Officer on 20 March 2009 and submissions from interested parties were received in the 30 days following the publication.