## Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

## **2010-11 Supplementary Estimates Hearings**

Outcome Number: Cross Question No: 063

**Topic:** Government Payment of Accounts

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## **Senator Fifield** asked:

For accounts not paid within 30 days, is interest being paid on overdue amounts and if so how much has been paid by the portfolio/department agency for the current financial year and the previous financial year?

Where interest is being paid, what rate of interest is being paid and how is this rate determined?

## **Answer:**

To date the Department has not received any claims for interest on invoices paid late.