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: 6

Question No: 210

Topic: Appointment of a Director of EOWA

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Senator Cash asked:

- 1. What is the process for appointing a permanent Director and who is specifically responsible (by position and name)?
- 2. What steps has the EOWA undertaken to appoint a permanent Director?
- 3. When does the EOWA expect to appoint a permanent Director?

Answer:

- 1. Section 20 of the *Equal Opportunity for Women in the Workplace Act 1999* provides for the Director to be appointed by the Governor-General.
- 2. The selection process for the Director of EOWA is currently underway.
- 3. At the completion of the current process.