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

2012-13 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 6 Question No: 61

Topic: Superannuation and Financial literacy

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Senator Cash asked:

"I refer to the answer to Question on Notice 115 from the 2012-13 Budget Estimates Hearings where I asked what relationship the Office for Women had with Treasury in terms of high-level advice on superannuation and financial literacy more generally. The answer provided stated that 'consistent with the Beijing platform the Government supported gender mainstreaming as best practice and that the Office for Women 'provides support' to portfolios to consider gender equality in their policies'.

What form does that support take? It is a phone call, a letter, submission, meeting etc.? What advice has the Office given to Treasury? Has Treasury sought advice from the Office in the past, and if so, on what sorts of topics? "

Answer:

Refer to responses to Question No. 53 and Question No. 56.