

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-14, 20 November 2013

Question: E13-069

OUTCOME: 0 – Whole of Portfolio

Topic: Ministerial Briefings

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Ludwig

Question:

- a) Does the department provide a regular briefing to the Minister on the activities of the department and/or any upcoming issues and/or any upcoming matters to come before the Minister?
- b) In what form does that occur?
- c) On what basis is that provided?
- d) What title is this briefing given?

Answer:

a) to d)

The Department of Health provides briefings, as appropriate, to portfolio Ministers on the activities of the Department. Briefings may be verbal or written, or a combination of both, depending on the issue.