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Senator CORMANN asked:

Senator CORMANN: Can you take on notice to give us a bit of an indication of how many meetings the financial centre taskforce has had since its inception, over the course of this government, directly with the minister and with the various ministers for financial services this government has had? That would be appreciated.

Mr Murphy: Yes, all right.

Answer:

Since its inception in September 2008, the Financial Centre Taskforce (previously the Australian Financial Centre Forum) has met on 21 occasions. The former Minister for Financial Services, Superannuation and Corporate Law met with the forum twice. The former Minister for Financial Services and Superannuation met with the task force once.