Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: RAM Question: SBT 2349-2352

Topic: FOI

Reference: written - 30 October 2015

Senator: Wong, Penny

Question:

- 2349. How many requests for documents under the FOI Act have been received?
- 2350. Of these, how many documents have been determined to be deliberative documents?
- 2351. Of those assessed as deliberative documents:
 - a) For how many has access to the document been refused on the basis that it would be contrary to the public interest?
 - b) For how many has a redacted document been provided?
- 2352. How many requests to Ministerial offices has the Department/agency managed on their behalf? Please detail.
 - a) How many officials and how many hours have been spent working on each FOI request?
 - b) Who was the decision-maker in each case?
 - c) For each case, did the Minister/Minister's office disagree with advice from Treasury? Why?

Answer:

- 2349. There have been no requests received since 1 July 2015.
- 2350. Nil response.
- 2351. Nil response.
- 2352. Zero.