Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: APRA

Question: SBT 801-804

Topic: FOI

Reference: written - 30 October 2015

Senator: Wong, Penny

Question:

Since 1 January 2015:

- 801. How many requests for documents under the FOI Act have been received?
- 802. Of these, how many documents have been determined to be deliberative documents?
- 803. 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?
- 804. 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:

- 801. The Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) received 46 requests for documents under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982* (FOI Act) during the period 1 January to 30 October 2015.
- 802. 804. None. Not applicable.