

Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Department of the Senate

Budget Estimates

26-30 May 2014

Question: 19

Topic: Appointments

Written: 12 June 2014

Senator LUDWIG asked:

1. Please detail any board appointments made from Additional Estimates in February 2014 to date.
2. What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?
3. Does the department have a gender ratio target and/or any other policy intended to increase the participation rate of women on boards? If yes, please specify what the target and policy is for each board.
4. Please specify when these gender ratio or participation policies were put in place.
5. Has there been any change to this ratio or policy since 7 September 2013? If yes, please detail.

Answer:

The department has no external boards for which it is responsible.