Answer to Question on Notice

- CHAIR: I think any fair assessor would say the Grattan Institute has been influential on public policy. Am I right in understanding that the largest anonymous donation you would accept is \$1,000—that you wouldn't accept any more than \$1,000?
- Ms Wood: I would have to get back to you on that. I know that we are very explicit on donations \$25,000 and above everywhere. I think the amount of anonymous donations last year was \$50,000, and there were about 100 of them.

Response: Grattan Institute allows donors to request to remain anonymous for donations under \$25,000 but reports the total value of all anonymous donations and the number of anonymous donors in each annual report and on the Grattan website. In Grattan's most recent <u>annual report</u> (2019) there were 99 anonymous donors who contributed a total of \$49,660, implying an average anonymous donation of \$502 each.