Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts Committee Inquiry Question on Notice

Select Committee on the Tasmanian Freight Equalisation Scheme

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Topic: Inclusion of the word 'logs' in the ministerial direction

Nick McKim asked:

Senator McKIM: The ministerial direction actually has the word 'logs' in it, does it not?

Ms Scott: The word 'logs' is in there, yes.

Senator McKIM: That's what we're talking about, old logs. Has that word always been in the

ministerial direction? Perhaps you could take that on notice.

Ms Scott: I would have to take on notice how long it is. I suspect it would have been largely

in the definition of terms.

Mr Kathage: The scheme has been in operation for 50 years.

Ms Scott: I suspect those definitions have largely been there.

Senator McKIM: Could you take that on notice, please, specifically, in relation to the

inclusion of the word 'logs'?

Ms Scott: Yes.

Answer:

The word 'logs' is not referenced in the Tasmanian Freight Equalisation Scheme Ministerial Directions.