Senate Economics Legislation Committee

Inquiry into Treasury Laws Amendment (Research and Development Tax Incentive) Bill 2019 [Provisions]

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Australian Taxation Office

JUNE 2020

Department/Agency: ATO

Question: 8

Topic: Administrative Treatment

Question:

- 1. When did that Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources become aware of the Administrative Treatment the ATO issued about the RDTI?
- 2. Was the department consulted before the Administrative treatment was made?

Answer:

- 1. The ATO discussed with DISER our standard Administrative Procedures for unenacted legislation in the course of the cross-agency working party for the new legislation.
- 2. The ATO consulted with DISER on key aspects of the ATO's Administrative Procedures that may affect DISER's administration in the course of the cross-agency working party for the new legislation.