

Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

Attorney-General's Department

Hearing date: 08 April 2024

Question date: 12 April 2024

David Pocock asked the following question:

During the hearing (Hansard p59), Ms Brayshaw referred to setting up standard operating procedures. Please provide any standard operating procedures in relation to the lobbyist code or the lobbyist register.

The response to the question is as follows:

In consultation with the Secretariat, administrative procedures for the Lobbyist Register which relate to the reporting of breaches, investigation of breaches and outcomes of breaches have been provided at **Attachment A**.

The administrative procedures have not been provided to the Committee in whole as such release could have an adverse effect on the operation of the Register.

The procedures are updated from time to time and are currently under review. The procedures were last updated 10 May 2023.