Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Additional Estimates 2010-11, 23 February 2011

Question: E11-263

OUTCOME 3: Access to Medical Services

Topic: AIDS AND APPLIANCES FOR SLEEP APNOEA

Written Question on Notice

Senator Siewert asked:

Are there any Commonwealth funding programs for aids and appliances available? If there are, can you please provide details of those programs, specifically around eligibility and how they are delivered (i.e. are the goods delivered directly or is it a voucher program).

Answer:

The Department does not fund any programs for aids and appliances for sleep apnoea.