Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2010-11 Additional Estimates Hearings

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Topic: Physical Disability Australia

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Senator Fifield asked:

How often are officers meeting via teleconference with the other peak disability and carer bodies?

Answer:

Staff members from the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs have teleconferences and face to face meetings on both an ad-hoc and regular basis with national disability organisations. Department officers met with all national disability organisations on 16 March 2011 in Adelaide. This was at an Australian Federation of Disability Organisations members meeting.