Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Additional Estimates 2011-2012, 15 February 2012

Question: E12-030

OUTCOME 3: Access to Medical Services

Topic: PROFESSIONAL SERVICES REVIEW (PSR) AGENCY

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Senator Bernardi asked:

How many service providers have been referred to the PSR in the last 12 months and the 12 months prior to that?

Answer:

For the 2011-12 financial year as at 31 January 2012 the Professional Services Review (PSR) has received requests to review a total of 12 practitioners from the Department of Human Services. In 2010-11 the PSR received a total of 56 requests for review.