Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings

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Topic: Not for Profit

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Senator Moore asked:

Governments, experts in charity law, and many across civil society have applauded the establishment of Australia's first public national register of charities. Does the government intend to maintain this register if it succeeds in abolishing the ACNC and if so, how?

Answer:

The Department is working across government to ensure arrangements are in place following the abolition of the ACNC to facilitate a smooth transition. Specific arrangements including decisions about the national register of charities are a decision for Government.