Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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Senator: Gallagher, Katy

Question:

Will the National Breastfeeding Helpline be funded beyond June 30, and if so for how long and for how much?

Answer:

Almost \$1 million will be provided to the Australian Breastfeeding Association to allow it to continue its 24 hour National Breastfeeding Helpline for 2016- 2017. This announcement was made by Senator the Hon Fiona Nash, acting Minister for Health on 19 February 2016.