Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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Topic: Procedure Manuals (Departmental)

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

- 1. Does the department have a procedure manual for communication between the department and the minister? If yes, please provide a copy and:
- 2. When was the manual last updated?
- 3. Who is responsible for updating the manual?
- 4. Has the minister's office had any input into the content of the manual? If so, please detail.
- 5. Who is the manual distributed to?
- 6. Is anyone responsible for clearing communications before they are sent to the minister or the minister's office?

Answer:

No.