Senate Community Affairs Committee

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Senator: Brown, Carol

Question:

Senator CAROL BROWN: There are the same questions regarding Out-of-pocket costs as well. Dr Southern: I am not familiar with that particular report. Senator CAROL BROWN: Out-of-pocket costs in Australian healthcare, presented on 22 August 2014. Mr Bowles: We can take that on notice as well. Senator CAROL BROWN: Where we are at with the government responses into the out-of-pocket costs in Australia community affairs report? How many drafts have you put together? Could you please provide us with a list of who you have been consulting with in terms of the government's response?

Answer:

The Government response is under consideration.