Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 1 - Population Health

Topic: GM Expert Panel Involvement in New Breeding Techniques

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Senator: Siewert, Rachel

Question:

Did FSANZ specifically ask each of the expert panel participants in the 2012 and 2013 new breeding techniques technical workshops whether they were involved in new breeding techniques?

Answer:

No. Food Standards Australia New Zealand (FSANZ) was already aware of each participant's expertise and research interests in the general area.