Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Senator: Di Natale, Richard

Question:

Dr Skerritt: I would have to check the list of specialties. I know they are not only paediatric neurologists, but that is the overwhelming bulk of them. Senator DI NATALE: Perhaps, on notice, you can give us a list? Dr Skerritt: Yes.

Answer:

To clarify all the 24 Authorised Prescribers approved to supply a medicinal cannabis product through the Authorised Prescriber scheme are paediatric neurologists.