

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 2 - Health Access and Support Services

Topic: Alcohol and Other Drugs

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Di Natale, Richard

Question:

Can the Department advise if the newly formed National Drug Strategy Committee is reviewing the recommendations made by the Australian National Preventive Health Agency in its report *Alcohol advertising: The effectiveness of current regulatory codes in addressing community concerns*?

Answer:

The National Drug Strategy Committee (NDSC) will soon consider the new National Alcohol Strategy, but is not specifically considering the the recommendations made by the Australian National Preventive Health Agency in its report *Alcohol advertising: The effectiveness of current regulatory codes in addressing community concerns* were not discussed at this meeting.