

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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Senator: Senator Waters

Question:

- a) Has SEWPaC ever approached your department for advice on social and, particularly, health impacts of major projects that are being proposed and have come to the minister for a decision?
- b) How frequently has this happened – is it rare or is it common?

Answer:

a) and b)

The Department of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities has not approached the Department of Health and Ageing for advice on the social and health impacts of major projects.