Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2012-13 Budget Estimates Hearings

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Topic: ATM Fees

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Senator Siewert asked:

Is the Government expecting to negotiate with other providers of ATMs in remote communities? If not, how will the Government help those in the communities where the ATMs are not covered by this agreement?

Answer:

As outlined in QoN 314 this is an industry initiative. The communities to be covered by the ATM Reforms were negotiated between the Australian Bankers' Association, Treasury, the Reserve Bank of Australia, the banking industry and independent ATM operators.

FaHCSIA had no role in determining these locations.