Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Budget Estimates 2014 - 2015, 2/3 June 2014

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OUTCOME: 7 - Health Infrastructure, Regulation, Safety and Quality

Topic: Blood Collection

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: McLucas, Jan

Question:

What actions, if any, does the National Blood Authority (NBA) have open to it within the Deed of Agreement (or any other instrument) to remove or alter blood collection guidelines issued by the Australian Red Cross Blood Service (Blood Service)?

Answer:

The National Blood Authority does not have actions (or any other instrument) within the Deed of Agreement to remove or alter blood collection guidelines issued by Australian Red Cross Blood Service (the Blood Service).