

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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**OUTCOME:** 5 – Primary Health Care

**Topic:** Status of National Mental Health Commission

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**Senator:** Wright, Penny

**Question:**

(to Senator Nash) I should have directed that to the minister. Minister, given the Commission of Audit's general findings, is it anticipated that the commission will continue to exist in its current form over the forward estimates?

**Answer:**

The future role of the National Mental Health Commission will be considered by Government as part of its response to the Commission's Review of Mental Health Services and Programmes.