Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 5 - Regulation, Safety and Protection

Topic: Authorised Prescriber

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Senator: Singh, Lisa

Question:

Senator SINGH: Also, how many applications to become an authorised prescriber are

outstanding at the moment?

Dr Skerritt: I do not believe there are any outstanding, but I will just double-check that.

Answer:

There were no outstanding Authorised Prescriber applications for medicinal cannabis at the time these questions were asked being 29 May 2017.

As of 22 June 2017 there is one pending Authorised Prescriber application which was dated 18 June 2017.