## Senate Community Affairs Committee

## ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

## HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 19 October 2011

Question: E11-084

OUTCOME 0: Whole of Portfolio

Topic: CARBON PRICE LEGISLATION

Written Question on Notice

Senator McKenzie asked:

- a) How was your Department/Agency consulted in the development of the carbon price package?
- b) Is the carbon price package consistent with all of the policies in your Department/Agency?

## Answer:

- a) The Department was consulted through a range of parliamentary processes, as well as through formal requests for advice and informal discussions and advice on the impacts of the carbon price package.
- b) The Department is unable to comment on Government policy.