Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES - 21 NOVEMBER 2013 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Human Services

Topic: Ministerial briefings

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Senator: Ludwig

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Question:

a) Does the department provide a regular briefing to the Minister on the activities of the department and/or any upcoming issues and/or any upcoming matters to come before the Minister?

- b) In what form does that occur?
- c) On what basis it that provided?
- d) What title is this briefing given?

Answer:

The department provides a range of advice to the Minister on issues affecting the department. This includes both verbal and written briefing material.