Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 23-24 OCTOBER 2014 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Human Services

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Question:

Please update Additional Budget Estimates, 16 February 2012, Answers to Questions on Notice, Human Services Portfolio, Question HS 10.

Answer:

Name of advisory body	Legislation or department initiated	Times per year this advisory body meets	Approximate number of staff servicing this advisory body	Estimated total average operating cost (excluding staff cost) per meeting 2013-14
Stakeholder Consultative Group (SCG)	Department	2	<0.1 x FTE	\$7,800
Health Professional Online Services Group (issuesspecific sub-group of SCG)	Department	2	<0.1 x FTE	\$7,800
Compliance Working Group (issues-specific sub-group of SCG)	Department	2	<0.1 x FTE	Negligible
National Multicultural Advisory Group	Department	3	0.5 FTE	\$5,260
National Welfare Rights Network	Department	2	0.3 FTE	\$3,109

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Older Australians Working Group	Department	2	0.1 FTE	\$7,689
Child Support National Stakeholder Engagement Group	Department	1-2	1 FTE	\$3,000
National Student Services Partnership Group	Department	1-2	0.3 FTE	Negligible