Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

2014-15 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programs Question No: 75

Topic: FoI Requests

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Senator Ludwig asked:

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

- 1. How many requests for documents under the FOI Act have been received?
- 2. Of these, how many documents have been determined to be deliberative documents?
- 3. Of those assessed as deliberative documents:
- (a) For how many has access to the document been refused on the basis that it would be contrary to the public interest?
- (b) For how many has a redacted document been provided?"

Answer:

- 1.83.
- 2. This question cannot be answered without an unreasonable diversion of resources.
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