Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

2014-15 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 1 Question No: 191

Topic: Newstart/New Zealand

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Senator Moore asked:

I refer to the following exchange, on page 69 of the Hansard:

Senator Moore: Did the department provide that advice to the minister?

Mr Pratt: We have provided a lot of advice in this area and around the budget measures.

On which date did the Department first provide this specific advice to the Minister?

Answer:

The Department is unable to provide answers to these questions as they involve the deliberations of Government as part of the Budget process.