

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

**Supplementary Budget Estimates 2016 – 2017, 19 October 2016**

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**OUTCOME:** 3 – Sport and Recreation

**Topic:** Local Sporting Champions

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** Don Farrell

**Question:**

When would new funding need to be made available by in order for the program to continue to run beyond its currently funded limits?

**Answer:**

The Australian Sports Commission (ASC) has sufficient funds to operate the Local Sporting Champions (LSC) Program until 30 June 2017. Ongoing funding of the LSC program (and all ASC grant programs) is subject to the efficiency dividend and other Government decisions. Decisions regarding funding will be made following the May 2017 Federal budget.