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Senator Singh asked:

Senator SINGH: So the first phase is done—that is the report that was released in July. When will the second phase be complete?

Dr Kennedy: I am sorry, I do not have that in front of me but I will also take on notice when that part of the report will be done.

Senator WATERS: You said before that that second phase would be released in the next 12 months. Is that not correct?

Dr Kennedy: We are looking at it over the next 12 months. It is not 12 months from now. That report has already commenced. I will guess it is about 10 months away, but I will confirm for you on notice.

Answer:

The report is intended to be released in or around September 2015.