Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications Legislation Committee Answers to questions on notice Environment portfolio

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Senator Waters asked:

Have officials from the Environment Department had any meetings or correspondence with the Institute of Public Affairs regarding the discontinued Grants to Voluntary Environment, Sustainability and Heritage Organisations (GVESHO) programme, or any other aspects of the Environment portfolio since this Government took office? If so, please advise for each meeting – who was present and which issues were discussed, and for each correspondence, advise which issues were raised.

Answer:

The Department has not had any meetings or correspondence with the Institute of Public Affairs regarding the discontinued Grants to Voluntary Environment, Sustainability and Heritage Organisations and is unaware of any such meetings or correspondence relating to other aspects of the Environment portfolio.