

**Senate Economics Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Treasury Portfolio**

Additional Estimates

2015 - 2016

**Department/Agency:**       **TREASURY**  
**Question:**                   **AET 2564-2565**  
**Topic:**                       **Sunset Provisions**  
**Reference:**                 **written - 19 February 2016**  
**Senator:**                     **Ludwig, Joe**

**Question:**

2564. Please list all current legislation, covered by the department's portfolio, which contain a sunset provision/s. For each, please provide:

- a) What work has been done towards preparing for the activation of sunset provisions? If no work has commenced, why not?
- b) Has any consideration been given to delaying or alerting the sunset provisions?
- c) Please provide a schedule or a workplan for the sunset provisions becoming active
- d) When did/will this work begin?

2565. Will there be any reviews of or relating to the legislation before or after the sunset provision is enacted? If yes:

- a) When is/was the review due to commence.
- b) What is the expected report date.
- c) Who is the minister responsible for the review
- d) What department is responsible for the review
- e) List the specific clauses or legislation under review caused by the statutory provision.
- f) List the terms of reference.
- g) What is the scope of the review.
- h) Who is conducting the review. How were they selected? What are the legislated obligation for the selection of the person to conduct the review?
- i) What is the budgeted, projected or expected costs of the review?
- j) When was the Minister briefed on this matter?
- k) What decision points are upcoming for the minister on this matter?
- l) List the number of officers, and their classification level, involved in conducting the review
- m) Will the the report will be tabled in parliament or made public. If so, when?

**Answer:**

Please refer to Supplementary Budget Estimates response SBT 249-265.