

**Senate Economics Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Treasury Portfolio**

Additional Estimates

2016 - 2017

**Division/Agency:** Australian Office of Financial Management

**Question No:** 139

**Topic:** Cap on National Gross Debt

**Reference:** Hansard page 125 (01 March 2017)

**Senator:** Ketter, Chris

**Question:**

"Senator KETTER: Once a direction is given—I understand that there will be a direction in the next financial year. Is that your expectation?

Mr Bath: That would be my expectation, yes.

Senator KETTER: If and when you receive a direction, can you tell us when that is generally published in the gazette?

Mr Bath: [...] I think that there are a number of days that it has to be tabled. It might be 14 days that it has to be tabled in parliament. We might have to take that one on notice. [...]"

**Answer:**

Refer to answer provided for question SQ17-000146.