

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Budget Estimates

4 – 6 June 2013

Question: BET 817

Topic: Internet

Written: 17 June 2013

Senator BUSHBY asked:

817. Has the department experienced any internet problems, such as but not limited to slow internet, or internet blackouts?

- a. If yes, what was the reason for this?
- b. Did it impact the Minister's office?

Answer:

817. Yes

- a. On Friday 10 May 2013 at 13:45 there was a server failure that caused an outage of all agency externally facing Internet services. This failure lasted for approximately 11 minutes and was resolved by 13:56.
- b. No.