

Senate Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Treasury Portfolio
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Department/ Agency: Treasury

Question: BET 719

Topic: Distributional analysis

Reference: Hansard – pg 21-22, 5 June 2014

Senator: Wong

Questions:

- 719. Was there any assessment of the differential impact of the changes to fuel indexation depending on income or geographical location?
- 720. Did Treasury model the effect of the 2014-15 budget measures, or a subset of those, on different family types at different levels in more detail than is shown in the budget glossy? What did that modelling show? Did that modelling show a greater impact on the lower income quintiles?

Answers:

- 719. Refer to Mr Heferen's evidence to the Senate Economics Legislation Committee on Fuel Indexation on 2 July 2014.
- 720. Treasury provided policy advice to the Government on a range of issues through the preparation of the Budget.