Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates 20-21 November 2013

Question: SBT 1013

Topic: US Default Plan

Written: 28 November 2013

Senator WONG asked:

1013. Has Treasury recently done contingency or scenario planning on the impacts of, for Australia, and policy responses that the Government might take, on a possible US default?

Answer:

1013. Along with other members of the Council of Financial Regulators, Treasury routinely monitors potential threats to global financial stability and their implications for Australia.