Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

2014 - 2015

Department/Agency: ASIC Question: SBT1687-1691 Topic: Fee for services Reference: written - 30 October 2014 Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

Since September 7, 2013:

- 1687. Have any existing services provided by the department / agency moved from being free to a user-pay service? Have any additional fees been placed on existing services? If yes please provide a list and include:
- a) Name of the fee and a short description of what it covers.
- b) How much is the fee (and is it a flat fee or a percentage of the service).
- c) The date the fee came into place.
- 1688. Were any reviews requested, commenced or complemented into the benefits and drawbacks of attaching the fee to the service? If yes, please detail and provide a copy of the review.
- 1689. What consultation was carried out before the fee was put into place?
- 1690. How was the fee put into place (e.g. through legislation, regulation changes etc)?
- 1691. What justification is there for the fee?

Answer:

- 1687. No.
- 1688. NA
- 1689. NA
- 1690. NA
- 1691. NA