Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES 2010-2011

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Asked By: Senator Boyce

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Senator BOYCE -Did you note that not-for-profit organisations were not on the list of organisations to receive government grants or assistance?

Mr Ronalds - In relation to Queensland?

Senator BOYCE - Yes, in relation to Queensland.

Mr Ronalds -Yes.

Senator BOYCE - As a consequence what happened then?

Mr Ronalds - It is really a matter of policy in terms of the action that is taken from that perspective. I am not sure?

Senator BOYCE - When did you note this?

Mr Ronalds - It was known to us very shortly after the formal announcements were made in relation to the first round of NDRRA in relation to Queensland.

Senator BOYCE - Are you able to put a date on that?

Mr Ronalds - Not offhand.

Senator BOYCE - Would you be able to do that on notice?

Answer:

21 January 2011.