

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Question:

Why is the one-off efficiency dividend of 2.5 per cent in 2012-13 not applied to the following agencies?

- Aboriginal Hostels Limited
- Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Studies
- Indigenous Business Australia
- Indigenous Land Corporation
- National Native Title Tribunal
- Torres Strait Regional Authority

Answer:

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander organisations were among those exempted by the former government from the application of the additional 2.5 per cent efficiency dividend in 2012-13 announced in the 2011-12 Mid-Year Economic and Fiscal Outlook.