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Question:

Senator LUDWIG: I could chance my hand on this one. Could you tell me whether the Prime Minister watched the video prior to—

Senator Abetz: I have got no idea. We will take that on notice.

Senator LUDWIG: Then there was a translation in respect of that matter. Was PM&C requested to provide a translation?

Ms Cross: Again, I would have to take that on notice.

Senator LUDWIG: There was a quote; it was quoted by the Prime Minister.

Ms Cross: Sorry, Senator, I missed that?

Senator LUDWIG: It was a question of whether the Prime Minister asked the department to check the translation.

Ms Cross: I will take that on notice.

Answer:

The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet was not requested to provide a translation of the video.

Refer to PM27.