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Question:

Senator McALLISTER: Three years is quite a long time to establish a methodology to answer a question that was proposed in 2013. Have you previously provided advice to previous ministers about the best way to measure progress?

Dr Kennedy: I would have to take that on notice to have a look at whether predecessors have provided advice on that.

Answer:

Yes. The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet has provided advice about a methodology for assessing the economic impact of the Regulatory Reform Agenda.