

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Senator: Senator the Hon Penny Wong

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Question:

On what date did the Prime Minister, Mr Abbott, approve the order of precedence?

Has the Prime Minister approved any amendments to the order of precedence? If so, on what date/s and what amendments were approved?

Answer:

The Prime Minister approved the order of precedence on 18 September 2013. Any amendments to the order of precedence are a matter for the Prime Minister.