

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
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**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio**

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**Senator:** Senator the Hon Jan McLucas

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**Question:**

How many organisations have been provided with feedback on their IAS applications?

- a. How many requests for feedback were received?
- b. How many requests have been responded to?
- c. What is the turnaround time for response?

**Answer:**

As at 22 June 2015:

- a. 706 organisations had requested feedback.
- b. 653 organisations had been provided with feedback (over 92% of requests).
- c. The average turnaround time was 47 days.