Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Budget Estimates Hearing 25-29 May 2015

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Senator: Senator the Hon Jan McLucas **Question reference number:** 324

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Question:

The 2015-16 Budget allocated \$155 million for a one-off payment to the Northern Territory Government to take full responsibility for the delivery of municipal and essential services in remote communities. Is there additional funding available if required, and where would this funding be drawn from?

Answer:

No.