

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**BUDGET ESTIMATES 2015-16**

Finance Portfolio  
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**Senator:** Conroy

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**Question:**

**Senator CONROY:** I believe they included, as we have agreed, a Japanese delegation. When was that arranged and when did the French and the Germans come through?

**Mr Whiley:** The arrangement for the visit of the Japanese, I believe, was a couple of weeks ago.

**Senator Cormann:** And the Germans and the French.

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**Mr Whiley:** The French were at ASC last week and some of this week, and I think they are in Western Australia at the end of this week as well. Regarding when the Germans were here, I will take that on notice. I think it was a couple of weeks ago.

**Answer:**

Representatives of ThyssenKrupp Marine Systems (TKMS) of Germany visited ASC North on 30 March 2015 and 29 April 2015, and ASC West on 4 May 2015.