Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE BUDGET ESTIMATES 2016-17

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Senator: Wong

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Question:

Senator WONG: I am happy to place on record that I understand that that is the case, Minister.

Has there been any change to the AWD schedule?

Mr Lamarre: Yes. We have formalised the next SCR, as we call it.

Senator WONG: SCR? Just remind me about that.

Mr Lamarre: I would have to get back to you on this—schedule change review or something. I

am sorry; I would have to get back to you on this.

Senator WONG: Okay.

Answer:

Following the implementation of the long term reform arrangements for the Air Warfare Destroyer (AWD) Project in December 2015, a Schedule Change Request (SCR) consistent with the rebaselining of the program was submitted by the AWD Alliance and agreed by all parties.