

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Supplementary Budget Estimates 18-22 November 2013

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Outcome/Program: 1.1 Prime Minister and Cabinet

Topic: Appointments

Senator: Senator the Hon Joe Ludwig

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Question:

- a) Provide an update of the boards within this portfolio, including: board title, terms of appointment, tenure of appointment and members.
- b) What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?
- c) Please detail any board appointments made from 7 September to date.

Answer:

Appointment details are listed on the following website: <https://www.ausgovboards.gov.au>.

| Board Name | Current Gender Ratio |
|---|-----------------------------|
| Aboriginal Hostels Limited | 5 males and 1 female |
| Aboriginal Benefit Account Advisory Committee | 1 female |
| Australia in the Asian Century Advisory Board | 7 males and 3 females |
| Australian B20 Leadership Group | 25 males and 6 females |
| Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies (AIATSIS) Council | 5 males and 4 females |
| Business Advisory Council | 10 males and 2 females |
| Civil Society 20 Steering Group | 7 males and 7 females |
| Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal | 2 males and 1 female |
| Closing the Gap Clearinghouse Board | 1 male and 2 females |
| First Peoples Education Advisory Group | 5 males and 7 females |
| Indigenous Business Australia | 3 males and 5 females |

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| Board Name | Current Gender Ratio |
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| Indigenous Land Corporation | 3 male and 4 females |
| Labour 20 Steering Group | 19 males and 6 females |
| National Australia Day Council | 5 males and 6 females |
| Official Establishments Trust | 3 males and 3 females |
| Outback Stores Pty Ltd | 5 males and 3 females |
| Prime Minister's Indigenous Advisory Council | 8 males and 4 females |
| Remuneration Tribunal | 2 males and 1 female |
| Youth 20 Planning Group | 3 males and 3 females |
| <i>Total for portfolio</i> | <i>118 males (63%) and 69 females (37%)</i> |

For all appointments for the financial year to date, please refer to the Department's responses to Senate Order 13 of June 2008 – Departmental and agency appointments and vacancies. Responses are available on the PM&C website at http://www.dpmmc.gov.au/accountability/senate_order_apps/tabling_lists_grants_appts.cfm