

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES 2014-15

Finance Portfolio

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Senator: Ludwig
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Question:

Senator LUDWIG: So was that amount already accounted for in the budget in May?

Senator Cormann: Sorry?

Senator LUDWIG: Was that amount—the \$96.8 million—already accounted for in the budget?

Ms Halton: That I do not know.

Senator LUDWIG: I am happy for you to take on notice.

Senator Cormann: We will take it on notice.

Answer:

An additional special dividend was included in the 2014/15 Budget in the contingency reserve.