

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

Finance Portfolio

Department/Agency: Australian Electoral Commission

Outcome/Program: General

Topic: Delays in disclosing donations

Senator: Rhiannon

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Question:

The AEC has previously raised concerns about the long delay in disclosing donations making it impossible for any illegal action in this area being considered by the Court of Disputed Returns.

1. Does the AEC have any specific cases of concern where delays in reporting have prevented effective enforcement of legislation?
2. What action would be most effective?

Answer:

1. No.
2. N/A.