Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee —Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearing—October 2014

Answers to Questions on Notice

Parliamentary departments, Department of Parliamentary Services

Topic: Fol Requests

Question: 213

Written: Senator Ludwig

Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 31 December 2014

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

- 1. How many requests for documents under the FOI Act have been received?
- 2. Of these, how many documents have been determined to be deliberative documents?
- 3. Of those assessed as deliberative documents:
- 4. For how many has access to the document been refused on the basis that it would be contrary to the public interest?
- 5. For how many has a redacted document been provided?

Answer

The Parliamentary Service Departments are not subject to the Freedom of Information Act 1982.