



MINISTER FOR INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS

Senator Cory Bernardi
Chair
Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration
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Dear Senator

I am writing to you in relation to the Questions on Notice following the Supplementary Estimates Cross-Portfolio Indigenous Affairs Hearing of 23 October 2015.

I understand that the Indigenous Affairs Group of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet has tabled answers to Questions on Notice from this Hearing today when answers were due to be tabled on 4 December 2015.

The delay was caused by competing priorities in the last sitting week of the year and I apologise for the delay and any inconvenience caused.

As the Committee would be aware, I take the tabling of Questions on Notice in a timely manner very importantly and will ensure that this process is improved in the future.

Yours sincerely

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