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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Topic: Annual deregulation target

Senator: Senator the Hon Penny Wong **Question reference number:** 117

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Question:

With reference to claim in the department's annual that a "highlight" of 2014-15 was the department "supporting the Government to exceed its \$1 billion annual deregulation target".

Can a breakdown of the claimed \$1 billion outcome be provided.

Answer:

The Australian Government publishes a consolidated list of regulatory reform initiatives as part of Repeal Day. These lists are available at www.cuttingredtape.gov.au/repeal-day.

A breakdown of the annual regulatory burden savings by portfolio is available in the Australian Government Annual Deregulation Report 2014, which is available at www.cuttingredtape.gov.au/australian-government-annual-deregulation-report-2014.