Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2016 - 2017

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Topic: Vacancies

Senator: Senator Catryna Bilyk **Question reference number:** 134

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Question:

Please provide a list of all statutory, board and legislated office vacancies and other significant appointments vacancies within the portfolio, including length of time vacant and current acting arrangements.

Answer:

The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet has the following statutory, board and legislated office vacancies and other significant appointments vacancies within the portfolio.

Statutory, board, legislated office	Vacant Position	Length of vacancy	Current acting arrangements
Aboriginal Hostels Limited	Director	Vacant since 4 May 2016.	Nil
Aboriginal Hostels Limited	Director	Position to remain vacant.	Nil
Aboriginal Hostels Limited	Chief Executive Officer (CEO)	Vacant since 11 July 2016 (recruitment process underway).	Acting CEO since 13 July 2016
Indigenous Business Australia Board	Director	Vacant since 4 October 2016.	Nil
Indigenous Business Australia	CEO	Vacant since 12 August 2016 (recruitment process underway).	Acting CEO from 13 August 2016
Outback Stores Pty Ltd	Director	Position to remain vacant.	Nil
Prime Minister's Indigenous Advisory Council	Member	Vacant since 23 September 2015.	Nil

Prime Minister's Indigenous	Member	Vacant since	Nil
Advisory Council		9 February 2015.	
National Australia Day Council	Director/Non- Executive Director	Vacant since 20 February 2015.	Not required - Under its constitution, the National Australia Day Council Board must maintain a minimum of five Directors as a quorum for decision making purposes. Longstanding practice has been to maintain a Board of ten members; there are currently nine.
Remuneration Tribunal	Member	Vacant since 26 February 2016.	Nil