

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO WRITTEN QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS– OCTOBER 2016

Finance and Public Administration Portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman

Outcome/Program:

Outcome 1. Fair and accountable administrative action by Australian Government entities and prescribed private sector organisations, by investigating complaints, reviewing administrative action and statutory compliance inspections and reporting.

Topic: Defence Abuse Response Taskforce

Senator: Senator Farrell

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Type of question: Written - Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

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Number of pages: 1

Question:

Senator FARRELL:

I refer the Department to page 15 of the Defence Abuse Response Task Force Final Report (the Report). On this page is a graph showing breakdown by decade of payments made by DART.

1. Can the Department please provide the table and data which was used to create this graph?

Answer:

1. The records of the Defence Abuse Response Taskforce have been transferred to the Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman (the office). The office has scrutinised the records transferred and identified the table and data relevant to page 15 of the Report, which is provided as Attachment A to this response.