Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

TREASURY

Australian Taxation Office

(Supplementary Budget Estimates November 2004)

Outcome 2, Output 2.2.1

Topic: Engagement of translator/interpreter

Supplementary question on notice: Supp 19

Senator Ludwig asked:

How many times did the department engage an a) translator and b) interpreter in each of the following years i) 2001-02, ii) 2002-03, iii) 2003-04?

Answer:

YEAR	Times translator engaged	Times interpreter engaged
2001-02	9,587	30
2002-03	10,491	17
2003-04	15,577	27

This information has been provided by the Department of Immigration, Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs.