Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Resources, Energy and Tourism Portfolio Supplementary Budget Estimates 2008-09 23 October 2008

Question: SR-1

Topic: Climate Change

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Senator Ron Boswell asked:

What if any steps have been taken to estimate the costs of the government's response to climate change including the Carbon Pollution Reduction Scheme for every department, agency and program within this portfolio?

What are the costs and estimated costs identified (reported separately)?

Have any costs been included in forward estimates and if so where?

Answer:

The Department has not undertaken any work to cost its response to government climate change measures.