

## Senate Standing Committee on Economics

### ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

19 – 20 October 2011

Question No:        SBT 713 - 714  
Topic:                Efficiency Dividend  
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Senator Bushy asked:

713.    How has the efficiency dividend been implemented?
714.    Please list where and what spending has been reduced to meet the efficiency dividend.

Answer:

713.    The Treasury has reduced its operating costs on items such as travel and consultants. Where necessary, the Treasury has reduced staffing numbers through natural attrition.
714.    Refer to answer 713 above.