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Question

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Senator CAMERON—When was the interview with the Clayton Utz lawyer? Mr Johns—I would have to take that on notice. Senator CAMERON—If you do not know, I am happy for you to take it on notice, but in general terms would it have been a month, six months, nine months? Mr Johns—I do not know. I note that the meeting was on 30 November. I would not be surprised if there was some investigation work done in the course of December and I would not be surprised if then there was a hiatus over the Christmas period, so it might have been February or something. Senator CAMERON—That is fine. So you will come back to me with date, but it was within weeks of the incident?

Answer

The Office of the Australian Building and Construction Commissioner has provided the following response:

10 December 2009.