

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2011-2012**

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Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Cabinet And Sub-Cabinet Committee Meetings

How much time is spent preparing papers/submissions for Cabinet and Sub-Cabinet Committee meetings? How often must papers/submissions for Cabinet and Sub-Cabinet Committee Meetings be redrafted or resubmitted? Please provide example of why this would happen. (i.e. last minute policy changes or redate papers due to items not being discussed when initially scheduled).

Answer

Data is not collected on the time spent authoring Cabinet papers, submissions and memoranda.