Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

Department of Finance and Deregulation

Additional Estimates Hearing – February 2008



Question: F99

Outcome 3, Output 3.1

Topic: Fifth Electorate Officer Position

Written Question on Notice

Senator Ronaldson asked:

What are the electorates that qualify for a fifth electorate officer?

Answer:

Determination 2007/Part IV/1 under the *Members of Parliament (Staff) Act 1984* provides that any Member who is entitled to a second electorate office at official expense may employ staff against an additional (fifth) electorate officer position located in that office.

The electorates that qualify for a fifth electorate officer are as listed in the answer provided to question F98.