

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

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**Senator KROGER-Who has access to the list of attendees?**

**Ms Beauchamp-Probably nobody outside of the community engagement team.**

**Senator KROGER-The community engagement team being the 13 staff members.**

**Ms Beauchamp-Correct.**

**Senator KROGER-So no ministers would be aware of or would have a look at that list.**

**Ms Beauchamp-No, not that I am aware of, but I will confirm that.**

**Answer:** The details of attendees are entered into a data base maintained by the Community Cabinet Secretariat. Access to the data base is restricted to seven members of staff in the Secretariat. Neither ministers, nor ministers' offices have access.