

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio**

**Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet**

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**Senator RONALDSON-Ms Beauchamp, Mr Suckling indicated there were only two PM&C staff members who attended the Copenhagen circus. Senator Abetz put questions on notice on 15 December. I put questions on notice on 21 December. Are you aware that there are 30 days allowed? How can it possibly be that on 8 February, when there are only two staff members who went to the circus, we have not got those questions on notice?**

**Ms Beauchamp-I will take that on notice[...]**

**Answer:**

The Questions on Notice referred to by the Senator cover similar matters in Questions to other Senators. Given the nature of the issues involved, PMC has been co-ordinating responses to what became the extensive range of questions across a number of agencies. Inter-agency coordination is now complete and responses are being prepared.