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Senator: Cormann

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Question:

Ms Mason, the reason we have Senate estimates is so that we can dig beyond what is published in the budget papers. The whole purpose of this process is to go into more detail than what is there. I am asking you the question: what is the current value of Medibank Private?

Answer:

The Department of Finance and Deregulation (Finance) does not disclose the value of individual Government Business Enterprises (GBEs) as such valuations are commercially sensitive.