

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES 2010-2011**

Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

**Department: Finance and Deregulation**  
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**Topic: M&PS Travel Report Pointers**

**Senator: Ludlam**

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**Question:**

**Ms Mason**—On a six-monthly basis there is a report tabled in the parliament that sets out the travel expenditure for senators and members for the previous six months. For instance, the report that covers the period, say, 1 July to 31st December 2010 will be tabled in about June of this year.

**Senator LUDLAM**—Rather than asking you to chase that and table it, if you can just provide us pointers on notice, I will go and do the homework.

**Answer:**

The six-monthly entitlements expenditure reports are published on the Department of Finance and Deregulation's website at <http://www.finance.gov.au/publications/parliamentarians-reporting/index.html>

Aggregate travel costs for the staff of Senators and Members are published in the *Members of Parliament (Staff) 1984 Act Annual Reports* available at [http://www.finance.gov.au/publications/mops\\_annual\\_reports/index.html](http://www.finance.gov.au/publications/mops_annual_reports/index.html)