## Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012

## Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

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Senator: Ryan

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## **Question:**

**Senator RYAN:** Sure. Last time, I asked a question, which was numbered F8, on second round costings. It asked which policy measures since the budget in 2010 have included second round costings. Your answer was, 'There have not been any new spending measures that have included second round effects in the costings since the budget in 2010.' Does that statement still stand with any measures announced subsequently, since I asked that question? **Mr Tune:** Since the last committee meeting? I think so, yes. Can I take that one on notice too?

**Senator RYAN:** And if possible, because I know that answer refers to new spending measures, I would appreciate advice with respect to any measures that are not new but are ongoing spending measures that are in the budget that include second round costings.

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**Senator Wong:** In relation to your earlier question, about since 2010, we will take that on notice and check that.

## **Answer:**

Yes, there have not been any new or ongoing expense or capital measures since this question was last answered (Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-12, Question reference number F8) that have included second round effects in the costings.