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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Australian Public Service Commission **Outcome/Program:** 1/1.1.1 **Topic:** APS Accessibility to Cultural Diversity

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Question:

How is the Australian Public Service Commission encouraging Commonwealth departments to ensure that departmental HR staff reflect on their own practices in the light of research showing what may be inadvertent prejudice favouring those with Anglo-Saxon sounding names?

Answer:

Please refer to the response provided for Question on Notice 40.