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Senator: Wong

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Question:

Further to the answer provided to F61 from the November 2013 estimates, can you provide an update on the development of efficiency performance standards against which government cost recovery agencies would be assessed? I note the answers state that you are conducting a review of the entirety of the Cost Recovery guidelines.

Answer:

Finance is nearing completion of the review of the current Cost Recovery Guidelines. If agreed by the Government, the revised cost recovery framework is proposed to include requirements regarding ongoing performance measurement of cost recovered activities.