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Senator: Senator Claire Moore

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Question:

Senator MOORE: My view is always that there should be a proactive action within the parliament and actually have roundtables and action with parliamentarians as opposed to having them outside the process and shooting in later. You gave me an answer on notice to the women's leadership development strategy about the funding of that. Can I double-check that the only funding that the Office of Women holds is in that program?

Ms Steele: That is correct.

Senator MOORE: So that is the only funding you can give out. The data you gave me was dated as of 4 December. Can I get an update on notice of any expenditure that has happened since then?

Ms Steele: Yes, Senator.

Answer:

For an update on the Women's Leadership Development Strategy and any expenditure occurring since 4 December 2013 please refer to PM36.