

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
Supplementary Estimates – February 2014
ANSWER TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General

Program 1: Support for the Governor-General and Official Activities

Outcome 1: The performance of the Governor-General's role is facilitated through the organisation and management of official duties, management and maintenance of the official household and property and administration of the Australian Honours and Awards system.

Topic: Recommendation on termination of secretaries

Senator: Wong

Question reference number: QoN 242

Type of Question: Written

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Why did the Official Secretary not answer question on notice 212 from the Supplementary Budget Estimates round?

On what date did the Office of the Official secretary to the Governor-General receive draft and/or final recommendations from the Office of the Prime Minister or the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet concerning the termination of departmental secretaries which were announced on 18 September 2013?

Who provided the draft and/or final recommendations?

Answer:

The Office provided an answer to Question on Notice 212 from the Supplementary Budget Estimates round. Draft and final recommendations concerning the terminations of departmental secretaries which were announced on 18 September 2013 were received by the Office from the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet on 18 September 2013.