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Committee Secretary
Senate Finance and Public Administration Committee
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600



ESTIMATES HEARINGS – CORRECTION TO RESPONSE
PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET PORTFOLIO – QUESTION PM 39

Dear Mr Sands

I wish to correct a response to a question on notice that was supplied to the Finance and Public Administration Legislative Committee in early July 2006.

Senator Ludwig asked about the cost of external and internal legal services during 2005-2006 and projected expenditure for external and internal legal services for 2006-2007.

The Australian Public Service Commission advised that the Commission spent \$150,686 (including GST) on external legal services in 2005-2006 up to 15 June 2006. This figure should have been \$150,089 (including GST)

Other figures remain unchanged. The error arose from a typographical error and I would like to correct the record in this regard.

I would appreciate you bringing this matter to the attention of the Committee. Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me on 6272 3616.
Yours sincerely

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