Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

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Question: PM42

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Topic: Breakdown of all costs borne by PM&C in relation to Prime Minister's

overseas trips

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Senator Ronaldson asked: Deputy Secretary, can you provide the committee with a breakdown of all the costs borne by PM&C for the Prime Minister's office in relation to several overseas trips made by the Prime Minister since he took office and by his departmental staff as well. Those are the two questions.

Senator Faulkner-I believe that I have taken that information on notice for Senator Fierravanti-Wells.

Senator RONALDSON-...I want to clarify that it covers both departmental and prime ministerial staff.

Answer: Please see answer tabled for PM41.