Senate Finance and Public Administration Standing Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES 24 MAY 2010

DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET

Department/Agency: AUSTRALIAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Outcome/Output Group: 1.1

Topic: Board appointments

Senator: Barnett

Date set by the committee for the return of answer: Friday 9 July 2010

Type of question: Written

Question reference number: PM64

(a) What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?

(b) What is the gender ratio of appointments made to boards since the Government came to office in November 2007?

Answers:

- (a) The Commission has interpreted the Senator's question as seeking information on the gender ratio of governing boards. On this basis the Commission provides a nil response.
- (b) The Commission's response to this question is nil on the same basis as detailed in (a).

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