

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Senator: Cormann

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Question:

Senator CORMANN: Then we will see how we go. There is the measure of Public Service efficiencies, which included \$148.4 million in savings for more efficient management structures. Can you talk us through how that will be achieved and whether it is expected that there will be redundancies?

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Senator CORMANN: Are you able to provide for us on notice, then, a breakdown of the savings amounts for each agency for each year of the forward estimates—bearing in mind that this is to be settled in the next week or so, as you have suggested?

Dr Helgeby: We will take that on notice.

Answer:

The breakdown of savings for each agency for each year of the forward estimates is still to be finalised and will be agreed between the Secretaries of the Departments of the Prime Minister and Cabinet and Finance and Deregulation and the Australian Public Service Commissioner.