Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE BUDGET ESTIMATES 2012-2013

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Australian Public Service Commission **Outcome/Program:** Cross Portfolio **Topic:** Paused Grants – Date and Authority

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Question:

On what date did your department receive advice from the government to pause certain grants programs?

How was the instruction received, and from whom was it received?

Answer:

The APSC does not administer grant programs, so did not receive advice from the government regarding grant programs.