

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS  
AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT SOLICITOR

**Question No. 49**

**Senator Brandis asked the following question at the hearing on 18 October 2010:**

Please provide the Solicitor-General's advice, referenced at paragraph 55.

**The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:**

The subject matter of the Solicitor-General's advice was unrelated to the resource super profits tax proposal. AGS has consulted with the agency which sought the advice. In accordance with the usual principle of non-disclosure of legal advice, it would not be appropriate to provide a copy.