

FINANCE PORTFOLIO — AGENCY FEES AND CHARGES

4474. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance

For each agency in the Finance portfolio, since the 23 September 2008 —

- (1) How many reviews of their agencies' fees and charges have been conducted since 23 September 2008?
- (2) Did any of these reviews identify any fee or charge that is above cost recovery?
- (3) If yes to (2), could you please provide —
 - (a) a list of the fees or charges identified;
 - (b) the amount the fee or charge was above cost recovery; and
 - (c) the reason for the fee or charge being above cost recovery?
- (4) Did any of these reviews result in an increase in any fee or charge that was above cost recovery?
- (5) If yes to (4), could you please provide —
 - (a) a list of the fees or charges that were increased;
 - (b) the amount that the fee or charge increased;
 - (c) how much above cost recovery was the new fee or charge; and
 - (d) the reason for the fee or charge being above cost recovery?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

The Department of Finance was established on 1 July 2011. The answers below relate to the businesses that were formerly part of the Department of Treasury and Finance but which are now part of the Department of Finance (i.e. Office of State Revenue, Building Management and Works and Government Procurement).

- (1) Three — the agency undertakes an annual review of its fees and charges.
- (2)–(5) No.