QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 109

asked on Thursday, 14 February 2019

MS A LEAHY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR NATURAL RESOURCES, MINES AND ENERGY (HON DR A LYNHAM)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise the number of titles that have been purchased by companies, individuals, and other entities, for the purpose of carbon farms in the last four years and the area of each of these titles (reported separately)?

ANSWER:

Neither the Department of Natural Resources, Mines and Energy nor the Department of Environment and Science maintains a register of properties purchased for the purposes of carbon farming activities under the Australian Government's Emissions Reduction Fund.

The Australian Government, through the Clean Energy Regulator, maintains a register of properties on which registered Emissions Reduction Fund projects are located.

The link to the register is <u>http://www.cleanenergyregulator.gov.au/ERF/project-and-contracts-registers</u>