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## **NON-COMPLETION OF COSTING OF ELECTION COMMITMENT**

On 16 August 2010, Treasury announced that a request had been received to cost the following election commitment under the *Charter of Budget Honesty Act 1998*:

### **Tax compliance - reporting taxable payments**

The *Charter of Budget Honesty: Costing Election Commitments 2010* guidelines provide that costings will generally be completed within five working days. It has not been possible to complete this request in the time available.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ken Henry".

Ken Henry  
Secretary to the Treasury

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