

Media Query, Ms Segal Senate Estimates

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To media@aseca.gov.au



Hi,

Can Ms Jillian Segal please provide us with responses to the questions below by 5pm.

As Senate Estimates on Tuesday, Ms Segal was questioned by Senator Shoebridge regarding Ms Segal's failure to condemn the November 7 neo-Nazi rally outside NSW Parliament House.

Ms Segal told Senator Shoebridge she had provided media who had contacted her with her response to the rally.

As Senator Shoebridge noted, online searches show no reporting of such a response.

Ms Segal responded to Senator Shoebridge:

"Senator, I did convey to various news outlets, who approached me, a condemnation. I had a statement prepared. I did not put out a press statement, and I note that, perhaps, I should have made it clear.

"But to news outlets that contacted my office, I did convey that. I can't explain why...you can't find anything."

This is demonstrably false. As you are aware, The Klaxon has been seeking a response from Ms Segal to the November 7 neo-Nazi since November 9, almost a month ago.

We received no response to either of our written requests for comment. (Both attached).

Can we please get responses from Ms Segal by 5pm to:

1. You have told Senate estimates that to news outlets that contacted your office, you conveyed your position regarding the Neo-Nazi rally. This is incorrect. Do you stand by those claims?
2. Giving false or misleading evidence to a Senate estimates committee is contempt of the Senate, and is subject to penalties including fines and imprisonment. Do you consider you are in contempt of the Senate regarding your statements (and if not, what is the basis of your position)?
3. Which news outlets did you provide a response to, regarding the November 7 neo-Nazi rally?
4. Is there anything you would like to add/any statement you would like to make?

Thank you,

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