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Speaker Collins, Sen Jacinta

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Senator JACINTA COLLINS (Victoria) (3.32 pm)—I give notice that, on the next day of sitting, I shall move:

That the following matter be referred to the Committee of Privileges:

In relation to evidence provided to the Employment, Workplace Relations, Small Business and Education Legislation Committee in the course of its estimates hearings:

(a) whether false or misleading evidence was given in relation to the proposed provision of copies of Australian Workplace Agreements by the Employment Advocate; and

(b) whether there was improper interference with witnesses, namely the Employment Advocate and the Acting Employment Advocate, in respect of their evidence.