

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 10 - Health System Quality and Capacity

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Senator: Peris Nova

Question:

Am I able to find out how much money has been given to the Northern Territory Government for the Palmerston Hospital scoping study?

Answer:

Under the Health and Hospitals Fund (HHF) the Palmerston Hospital Project was awarded \$70 million. Of these funds the Northern Territory (NT) Government has been paid \$1 million to date. The NT Government received these funds for the delivery of a project plan, as provided for in the funding agreement. The Commonwealth has not provided specific funding for the scoping study.