

Senate Finance and Public Administration Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Budget Estimates 2014 - 2015, 2/3 June 2014

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OUTCOME: 5 - Primary Health Care

Topic: Department of Health

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Moore, Claire

Question:

I refer to the health line in the budget.

Can we have exactly from the Health perspective what makes up those figures?

What figures were used to come up with the line item in Budget Paper No. 2.

Exactly what was harvested to reach those figures each year.

What was counted to save that amount.

Answer:

Reductions of \$121.8 million were identified in the 2014-15 Budget Paper No. 2 for the Department of Health's Indigenous Australians' Health Programme. The Department of Health is not able to release Budget related information, including calculations.