

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee
Answers to questions on notice
Environment portfolio

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Senator Urquhart asked:

Taking into account the current price of Kyoto units, what would be the likely impact per tonne of emissions of the ETS in 15/16 for highly emissions intensive activities?

Answer:

The Australian Government has introduced legislation into the Parliament to repeal the carbon tax with effect from 1 July 2014, consistent with its 2013 election commitments and Direct Action policy.

An estimate of the likely impact per tonne of emissions of the ETS in 2015-16 for highly emissions intensive activities has not been prepared for the Government.