

Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2010-2011**

Outcome 2 - Schools

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Question

JANUARY FIGURES

Senator MASON—Twenty December was round 1 deadline, correct, yes. Mr Parsons—So what I have is that at that stage 1,968 projects should have been completed. Ms Paul—I think it might be better to take it on notice and give you a table, do you think, because we cannot disaggregate? Senator MASON—Mr Manthorpe said that at the end of December there were 1,267 large—this is right, Mr Manthorpe, isn't it—and 394 small. Mr Manthorpe—That is right—of the round 1 projects. Senator MASON—That does not add up to 1,968. Mr Manthorpe—No. That is why— Ms Paul—That is what Mr Parsons has just said. Senator MASON—I am not trying to be difficult, Mr Parsons; I just do not follow. Senator Chris Evans—I think in an attempt to be helpful, Mr Parsons is going to give you a set of figures that actually do not correlate with the way that it has been grouped before. I am not sure it is going to be helpful, but he is intending to be helpful. Senator MASON—Ms Paul, can you give— Senator Chris Evans—Why don't we take it on notice to get the end of January figures. Ms Paul—Why don't we display it to you in the same you have asked for it, which we have just talked through. We will display it in that way for you in a question on notice, if you like.

Answer

The following table outlines the number of large and small school P21 projects with completions by round.

P21 Completions as at 31 January 2011

School Size	Total projects for R1	R1 Completions	Total projects for R2	R2 Completions	Total projects for R3	R3 Completions	Total P21 projects	Total Completed P21 Projects
Large	1,515	1,321	3,256	2,222	2,324	992	7,095	4,535
Small	453	404	1,631	1,250	1,329	743	3,413	2,397
Total	1,968	1,725	4,887	3,472	3,653	1,735	10,508	6,932