

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON  
EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2009-10**

**Outcome** Corporate

**DEEWR Question No. EW798\_10**

Senator Humphries provided in writing.

**Question**

*Reviews*

What is the total number of Reviews both completed and ongoing in the portfolio/agency or affecting the portfolio agency since November 2007?

What is the estimated cost of these Reviews?

What further reviews are planned for 2009-10 FY?

**Answer**

There have been 60 reviews in or affecting the portfolio since November 2007, at an approximate direct cost of \$14.8 million (as at 20 November 2009). Some reviews have not yet concluded and as such an approximate cost has been used where possible.

For details of the current reviews, please refer to EW807\_10.

There are 2 further reviews planned for 2009-10:

- National Schools Chaplaincy Program - a review and consultation process will take place during 2010 to examine options for the program beyond 2011.
- Review of "Literacy and Numeracy Pilots in Low SES Communities".