

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2012-2013**

Outcome 2 – Schools and Youth

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Senator Mason asked on 18 October 2012 , Hansard page 34

Question

Drafting of Initial Legislation

When was the Office of Parliamentary Counsel given instructions to draft the bill? Mr Cook: I will have to take that on notice. There has been instruction in relation to that, but the actual date I would like to take on notice. Senator MASON: All right.

Answer

The Office of Parliamentary Counsel was given instructions to draft the Australian Education Bill on 27 September 2012.