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Question

Review of the demand driven funding- remuneration for Mr Kemp and Mr Norton

Senator RHIANNON: How much are Mr Kemp and Mr Norton being paid per day for their work? Mr Griew: They are being paid according to Remuneration Tribunal rates. Mr de Carvalho can elaborate on that. Mr de Carvalho: The exact figures I do not have in front of me, but they are being benchmarked with the chairmanship and membership of the EIF advisory board. That is the comparator that we used. There was also at least one other review that was conducted under the previous government around the student services and amenities fee, where we also used the Rem Tribunal figures, and we have used that as a guide as well. I do not have the precise figures in front of me. The actual employment contracts, if you like, are still being finalised. Senator RHIANNON: Can you take on notice the supplied figure, please? Mr de Carvalho: Certainly.

Answer

The Hon Dr David Kemp is being paid \$1117 per day. Mr Andrew Norton is being paid \$922 per day.