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Dear Secretary

Amendment to the department's responses to questions on notice

During the Estimates Hearing of 1 March 2018 it was brought to my attention that there was an error in the table in the response the Department of Education and Training provided to SQ17-001191.

The error was caused by negative funding values appearing as positive, resulting in incorrect totals in some state and national totals within the table.

I apologise for this error, and an amended table is provided at [Attachment A](#).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tony Cook".

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Additional Commonwealth funding required if existing arrangements were continued, including treating all jurisdictions as if they were signatories to the NERA, compared to recurrent funding model by state/territory and sector, 2018–2027 (\$m)

Note: Based on the new recurrent funding model with data as at 17 November 2017, which includes enrolment growth. The recurrent funding model is based on a ten-year transition for schools above the Schooling Resource Standard (SRS) and a six-year transition for schools below the SRS. Continuing the existing arrangements assumes (a) current indexation arrangements under the Australian Education Act 2013 (assuming all states and territories are 'participating') are maintained over 2018 to 2027 and (b) additional funding under the NERA is maintained for the life of the agreement to 2019. May not sum due to rounding.

State	Sector	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
NSW	G	197	446	443	442	443	443	516	595	682	776
NSW	C	24	48	62	80	101	99	108	117	127	138
NSW	I	4	11	-1	-12	-25	-40	-21	1	22	44
NSW	All	225	505	503	511	519	501	602	713	831	958
VIC	G	-86	566	567	568	567	565	636	715	800	893
VIC	C	22	43	60	85	98	98	108	119	130	143
VIC	I	2	2	-7	-15	-26	-38	-28	-21	-17	-11
VIC	All	-62	610	620	637	639	625	717	813	913	1,025
QLD	G	84	182	182	179	175	169	212	259	309	364
QLD	C	19	39	57	78	100	116	124	133	143	153
QLD	I	-3	-6	-18	-29	-41	-55	-48	-41	-34	-26
QLD	All	100	214	221	228	234	229	288	351	418	491
SA	G	45	129	122	114	106	98	113	129	146	164
SA	C	7	21	23	27	30	35	42	47	49	52
SA	I	6	21	18	15	12	8	15	22	29	36
SA	All	58	171	163	156	148	140	169	198	224	252
WA	G	-28	-57	-101	-149	-201	-259	-261	-262	-263	-262
WA	C	3	7	10	14	19	25	38	52	60	65
WA	I	-6	-12	-21	-31	-41	-52	-47	-42	-34	-29
WA	All	-30	-62	-113	-165	-223	-287	-271	-252	-236	-226
TAS	G	9	20	22	24	26	28	32	36	40	44
TAS	C	1	0	0	-0	-0	-0	2	5	8	11
TAS	I	-1	-1	-2	-3	-4	-5	-4	-2	-1	0
TAS	All	9	19	19	20	21	23	30	39	47	55
ACT	G	-5	-10	-16	-23	-30	-39	-42	-46	-50	-54
ACT	C	6	13	18	24	30	36	43	50	58	67
ACT	I	2	5	7	10	13	17	21	26	31	37
ACT	All	4	8	9	11	12	14	22	31	40	51
NT	G	19	40	48	59	70	82	95	110	126	144
NT	C	-1	-1	-4	-7	-10	-14	-13	-12	-12	-11
NT	I	-1	-1	-2	-4	-5	-8	-7	-6	-4	-3
NT	All	17	38	42	48	54	61	76	92	110	130
AUS	G	235	1,315	1,266	1,215	1,155	1,086	1,301	1,536	1,792	2,070
AUS	C	82	169	226	300	367	393	451	511	564	619
AUS	I	4	18	-27	-69	-117	-172	-118	-62	-7	49
AUS	All	321	1,503	1,466	1,445	1,405	1,307	1,634	1,985	2,348	2,738