

Senate Environment and Communications References Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources
Inquiry into Oil and gas exploration and production in the Beetaloo Basin
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, SCIENCE, ENERGY AND RESOURCES

TOPIC: QoN 2. Number of applications

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CHAIR: Okay. Just to be clear what the question is: I'd like to know how many other applications are live, and of course I'm interested in knowing how many wells and what value they're bidding for and whether this is up to the remaining \$29 million ceiling.

Mr Trotman: Thanks, Senator. We'll very much do our best to get back to you

ANSWER

There are currently four "live applications" for grant funding through the Beetaloo Cooperative Drilling Program totaling \$30,000,000 for four wells.