Senate Community Affairs Committee

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Senator: McLucas, Jan

Question:

Senator McLUCAS: When do you get to the point where you start paying for services? Mr Booth: As with any contract, there are milestones that we need to meet, and funding is only released when particular milestones are achieved.

Senator McLUCAS: So what is the obstacle in Adelaide? What is the problem there? Mr Booth: I do not know the exact details of the specific problems that are going on. I can just say that in general I know that there were some issues around workforce—getting people in—and the linkages with local organisations. I would need to take on notice the specifics around what the delays in Adelaide were.

Answer:

Please see the response to Question on Notice SQ15-000180.