

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Topic: Building Better Regional Cities

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Senator Payne asked:

The budget for the BBRC as listed in the FAHCSIA Portfolio Budget Statement for 2013-14 (\$34,580,000 for 2012-13 and \$49,920,000 for 2013-14) is noticeably higher than was forecast in the 2012-13 PBS (\$35m for 2012-13 and \$35m for 2013-14). Can you explain the difference?

Answer:

The difference is due to a transfer of funds from 2012-13 to 2013-14 arising from a number of BBRC projects terminating, changing scope, as well as new projects commencing and executing funding agreements.