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Topic: Stolen Generations Working Partnership

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Senator Siewert asked:

Stolen Generations projects have been historically funded from the Reconciliation or Indigenous leadership program areas. Since the restructure, responsibility for the Stolen Generations Working Partnership now sits in the Indigenous policy and engagement branch. What has happened to the reconciliation activities funding source and the Indigenous leadership program funding source since the restructure – do they still exist? Are they still available for Stolen Generations activities or proposals?

Answer:

The FaHCSIA restructure, as a result of which the Stolen Generations Working Partnership now sits within the Indigenous Policy and Engagement Group, was designed to ensure that leadership and engagement activity is dealt with as an integral element of policy development and Government coordination. There have been no changes to the relevant administered funding available to the Stolen Generations Working Partnership as a result of the restructure.