

Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2012-2013**

Outcome 3 - Employment

DEEWR Question No. CA0023_13

Senator Scullion provided in writing.

Question

Indigenous Employment Program

For 2012/13, 2013/14 and 2014/15 can you provide the national IEP allocation and the notional allocation per State and the Northern Territory? How much has been committed for 2012/13 nationally and for each State and the Northern Territory?

Answer

The Indigenous Employment Program (IEP) is a single appropriation. The Department allocates the budget notionally to States and the Territory, and to program elements but does not release its internal allocations as these are for budget management purposes only and do not represent the funds that may be spent in any one particular jurisdiction.

The Total IEP budget for the next three years is as follows:

2012/13 - \$172.576 million

2013/14 - \$159.610 million

2014/15 - \$159.576 million