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Senator Waters, Larissa asked:

Senator WATERS: Again, that is because of the carryover. I am just interested in the auction result as it pertains to the target. Thank you for taking that on notice. Have there been any projects, Ms Munro, over any of the three auctions that have dealt with fugitive emissions?

Ms C Munro: Yes, there are. Again, I do not think I have detailed information here. I would have to work my way through the contract register to find them. Certainly, there are methods. I can take it on notice. I think that is probably best. There are certainly registered projects. I would have to confirm whether there are projects that have been contracted in this auction.

Answer:

This question was answered in session on 5 May 2016 as recorded in the Hansard transcript on page 60.

‘Two projects were contracted at the second auction for a total abatement of 766,982 tonnes. We did not contract any of that nature at the third auction’.