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Senator Urquhart asked:

When will decisions on the range of proportions of NLP funding between the portfolios and the priorities under that 7 year program be made?

Answer:

In the 2017-18 Budget, the Government allocated \$1.1 billion from the National Heritage Trust over seven years from 2016-17 to 2022-23 for continuation of the National Landcare Program. Further funding decisions on investments under the National Landcare Program beyond 2017-18 remain a matter for government and will be announced shortly.