

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee
Answers to questions on notice
Environment portfolio

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Programme: Murray Darling Basin Authority
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Senator Rhiannon asked:

How likely does the Department or MDBA think that it is possible to recover the full 650GL of water through supply measures? What are the reasons informing this response?

Answer:

The volume of the supply contribution from supply measures is dependent on the character and mix of projects proposed by Basin states and agreed by Basin jurisdictions to be included in the final package of measures and will not be known until the final package of measures is assessed in 2016.