Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications Legislation Committee

Answers to questions on notice **Environment portfolio**

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Outcome: Outcome 1

Programme: Environment Standards Division (ESD)

Topic: E Waste

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Question Type: Written

Senator Urquhart asked:

1. Has there been an increase in the amount of E Waste being processed in the last quarter?

2. What impact does E Waste have on your resources?

Answer:

- 1. Yes. The National Television and Computer Recycling Scheme indicative reporting for Quarter 4 of 2014-15 is that approximately 11,633 tonnes of the annual target of 42 653 tonnes was recycled during this quarter. Recycling undertaken in Quarter 3 of 2014-15 was approximately 8,757 tonnes.
- 2. The National Television and Computer Recycling Scheme is currently staffed by approximately 4.6 FTE.