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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND SCIENCE

TOPIC: Automotive Transformation Scheme

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QUESTION No.: SI-64

I touched on this in Additional Estimates, but has the Department since done any modelling or analysis or provided any advice about potential amendments of the ATS such as changing the ATS to allow businesses to produce parts for purposes other than domestic vehicle manufacturing?

ANSWER

On 10 March 2015, the Australian Government announced that the Automotive Transformation Scheme (ATS) would continue as legislated. The Department of Industry, Innovation and Science has not undertaken modelling or analysis in relation to changes to the eligibility requirements for the ATS.