

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016**

Outcome: Early Childhood and Child Care

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ16-000138

Senator Lines, Sue provided in writing

Confirmation of what the comparison is based on

Question

In relation to the Minister's media release from 30 January 2016 "One million families to benefit from child care reforms".

Can the department confirm that the comparison is based on administrative data and reflects the prices actually paid for child care by families?

Answer

The comparison uses administrative data which includes the fees charged to families.