

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017**

Outcome: Early Childhood and Child Care

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000126

Senator Hanson-Young, Sarah provided in writing

Family day care crack down

Question

How much has been saved by the family day care crack down, overall? How much is expected to be saved in total, taking new measures relating to grandparent care into account?

Answer

The estimated financial impact of the department's compliance activity since 2014 is up to \$945 million which was not paid to services due to action taken against non-compliant Family Day Care services.

It is estimated that the two new measures introduced to Parliament on 27 February 2017, will save approximately \$250 million in non-compliant payments before the *Jobs for Families Child Care Package* commences in July 2018.