

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

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

Outcome: Schools and Youth

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000379

Senator Collins, Jacinta provided in writing.

School funding

Question

How will the Government require – from 2018 – “states and territories to at least maintain the real level of their per student funding effort and growth” (*Quality Schools, Quality Outcomes*, p.14).

- a. Will this be part of an agreement to be negotiated with states and territories?
- b. How will it be implemented?
- c. Will it be implemented through legislative changes?

Answer

The Australian Government will release its position on school funding in due course.