

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2013-2014**

Outcome 2 - Schools and Youth

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Question

Table for non participating schools funding

Senator McKENZIE: I will ask on notice for a table of each state and territory, including New South Wales, showing what they would receive if they were non-participating under 65. Are we able to get that? Ms Paul: Yes. Mr Cook: Yes. Part of that to some degree would be in last year's budget papers, which would have outlined in terms of the FFR the amount that states and territories would have got, so we should be able to put that together. Ms Paul: And then what they would get if they were non-participating and what they would get if they participated. Senator McKENZIE: Thank you. That is what I would really appreciate. Also, include New South Wales.

Answer

Section 65 of the *Australian Education Act 2013* sets out the amount of financial assistance payable under the National Schools Specific Purpose Payment for a year to a state or territory for non-participating schools located in those states or territories. The exact amount payable each year is subject to determination by the Minister of the arrangements for indexation.