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Senator Carr, Kim provided in writing.

Commonwealth Grants Scheme

Question

Why is the number of enabling places delivered expected to fall from 9,800 in 2014-15 to 9,500 in 2018-19 (p. 42 of PBS)?

Answer

These projections reflect the impact of the 2013-14 Budget measure that provided \$84.6 million over four years to increase the number of Commonwealth supported places (CSP) in designated courses including enabling courses.