

**Senate Committee: Education and Employment**

**QUESTION ON NOTICE**  
**Budget Estimates 2017 - 2018**

**Outcome: Schools and Youth**

**Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000779**

Senator Collins, Jacinta provided in writing

***Schools funding - SRS share***

**Question**

Did the Government consult with any stakeholders about the proposed 20 per cent for public schools and 80 per cent for non-government schools before the day of the announcement?

- Which stakeholders?
- When?

**Answer**

During consultations in January 2017, the Department of Education and Training sought views on an appropriate Commonwealth percentage share of the Schooling Resource Standard from state and territory officials and representatives of the non-government sector.