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Question

curriculum review costs

Senator WRIGHT: There was not actually a specific topic of curriculum review on the schedule, so I was wanting to ask these here, although I do understand that it may fall into another subject area as well. The department may be able to help me with this question. What was the full cost of the curriculum review? Mr Cook: Allocation was \$300,000. I think we provided that evidence previously. Senator WRIGHT: You did, yes. Mr Cook: The cost as of 30 September was \$283,157. Senator WRIGHT: Is there foreshadowed to be further expenditure from that allocation at this stage? Mr Cook: I doubt it. There might be some minor expenditure, but I can take that on notice.

Answer

There is no further expenditure anticipated for the Review of the Australian Curriculum.