Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014-2015

Outcome 1 - Employment

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Question

Funding for Work for the Dole activities

Senator LINES: Do the funding amounts include the Work for the Dole component of the employment services contract? Ms Leon: Yes. That is in that \$5.1 billion. Senator LINES: So how much is that? Mr Hehir: There are the two components: the Work for the Dole coordinators and the Work for the Dole component. Senator LINES: Just the Work for the Dole component. I think we asked you about the coordinators before. Mr Jalayer: Work for the Dole coordinators is \$162 million over three years. Senator LINES: So the rest of Work for the Dole? Or are you giving me the breakdown? Mr Jalayer: Work for the Dole activities is \$736 million. Senator LINES: Can you break those down into yearly figures for the next three years? Ms Leon: On notice, Senator. Senator LINES: Okay.

Answer

Work for the Dole:

	2015-16 (\$m)	2016-17 (\$m)	2017-18 (\$m)	Total (\$m)
Work for the Dole Places	201.7	246.5	238.6	686.8
Work for the Dole Supplement	15.4	18.9	15.3	49.6
Total	217.1	265.4	253.9	736.4

Work for the Dole Coordinators:

	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	Total
	(\$m)	(\$m)	(\$m)	(\$m)
Work for the Dole Coordinators	49.9	56.7	55.5	162.1