Senate Committee: Education and Employment

QUESTION ON NOTICE Supplementary Budget Estimates 2015 - 2016

Outcome: Early Childhood and Child Care

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Senator Lines, Sue provided in writing.

\$178 million Additional Child Care Subsidy

Question

In relation to the \$178 million Additional Child Care Subsidy, how much money will be spent in each year of the forward estimates in relation to:

- a. Children at risk of serious abuse or neglect
- b. Families experiencing temporary financial hardship
- c. Grandparents on income support who are the primary carer of their grandchildren
- d. Parents transitioning to work from income support
- e. Low income families who do not meet the activity test

Answer

Assistance under the Additional Child Care Subsidy is not being allocated to each of the elements individually.