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Senator: Gallagher
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Question:

Senator GALLAGHER: On that, as part of the APVMA's move there was an allocation in the budget of almost \$30 million. It might have been in the MYEFO. APVMA were due to come back with a measure to support the significant IT upgrade that is required to assist their relocation. Has finance been involved in costing that measure?

Senator Cormann: We will have to take that on notice.

Answer:

The Department of Finance has been involved in preliminary discussions with the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority regarding funding for an ICT solution to support the entity's relocation from Canberra to Armidale.