

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
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**Senator:** Senator the Hon Jan McLucas

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**Question:**

Ms Edwards: Yes. So previous providers who were not successful in the round but went on to be funded for similar activities?

Senator McLUCAS: Yes, that is right.

Senator SIEWERT: They were not counted—or were they?

Mr Tongue: They are not counted in the 996—that is the round—but they will be counted in the funding totals.

Senator SIEWERT: Yes, of course.

Senator McLUCAS: Can I get an understanding of who they are and what they do?

Mr Tongue: Certainly.

**Answer:**

Only three organisations that were previously funded and were unsuccessful in the IAS open grants round have subsequently received funding for similar activities. The attached table provides further detail.

Of the 38 previously funded organisations that were unsuccessful in the IAS open grants round, and have been subsequently funded, 32 organisations were funded for activities that were out of scope of the IAS open grants round, for example: NAIDOC Week activities, Indigenous Wage Subsidies, and Indigenous Cadetship Support.

A further three organisations that were unsuccessful in the IAS open grants round have been subsequently funded for other activities.

**Table 1. Organisations not successful in the IAS round that were subsequently funded for similar activities (all figures quoted are GST exclusive)**

<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Programme Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Australian Football League	<b>Continuation of the female Kickstart programme.</b> Aims to provide female youth diversion activities to Indigenous women aged 15-18 years. The funding contributes to the cost of regional and state camps, the 2015 and 2016 Female Kickstart Championships and the National Youth Girls Championships.	\$600,000
Australian Institute of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Studies (AIATSIS)	Continuation of native title research activities.  The overall objective of this project is to improve the operation of the native title system by providing support to native title representative bodies and service providers, registered native title bodies corporate and the native title sector generally.	\$3,618,000
	Continuation of family history research activities.	\$1,818,000
National Stolen Generations Alliance (NSGA)	Continuation of support to members of the Stolen Generations to access culturally safe self-determined services.	\$600,000