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Question: AET 120

Topic: National Disability Insurance Scheme

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Senator FIFIELD asked:

120. What government modelling has been done on the potential impact of the Fair Work Australia decision on the community sector pay case on the affordability of services that would be provided under an NDIS?

Answer:

120. The Australian Government Actuary (AGA) has been engaged by the Commonwealth Treasury to review the costings included in the Productivity Commission (PC) report on Disability Care and Support, in consultation with the States and Territories.

The AGA's costing work has incorporated the estimated net impact of the Social and Community Sector (SaCS) wage case decision.