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TOPIC Science and Maths Education and Industry Adviser

REFERENCE: Written Question – Bushby

QUESTION No.: AI-175

What remuneration and any additional benefits are being received by the Science and Maths Education and Industry Adviser? Are there any additional support costs operationally and administratively in relation to this position – and, if so, what are each of these?

ANSWER

The National Mathematics and Science Education and Industry Adviser is an SES Band 1 employee and is remunerated in accordance with the Department's SES Terms and Conditions of Employment. This initiative is funded under the budget appropriation for Program 2.3 of the Industry, Innovation, Science, Research and Tertiary Education Portfolio Budget Statements 2012-13. Additional support in the form of items such as administration, research assistance and travel will be provided through the budget of the Department's Science and Research Division, with full details still to be resolved.