

**Senate Standing Committee on Economics**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
Innovation, Industry, Science and Research Portfolio  
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**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:** INNOVATION, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

**QUESTION RECEIVED BY DEPARTMENT ON MONDAY 1 AUGUST 2011**

**TOPIC:** R&D

**REFERENCE:** Written Question – Senator Boyce

**QUESTION No.:** BI-140

- 1) What is the total federal government spend on investment in Australian R&D?
- 2) Do states have the same areas of priorities or are priorities determined on a state by state basis?

**ANSWER**

Please refer to the response provided to Parliamentary Question on Notice 700 asked by Senator Boyce on 22 June 2011. Senate Hansard 17 August 2011, page 105.