Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Innovation, Industry, Science and Research Portfolio Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012 19 October 2011

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: AUSTRALIAN RESEARCH COUNCIL

TOPIC: RESEARCHERS IN INDUSTRY TRAINING AWARDS

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Colbeck

QUESTION No.: SI-103

1. Are the Researchers in Industry Training Awards part of the Clean 21 program?

2. Does the \$23.4 million that has been allocated to the Researchers in Industry Training Awards come from funding to the ARC – or from elsewhere in the budget?

ANSWER

- 1. Yes.
- 2. Funding allocated to the Researchers in Industry Training Awards scheme comes from funding to the ARC through Special Appropriations.