

**EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING**

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
2003-2004 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING**

**Outcome:** 1

**Output Group:** 1.1 – Funding for schools

**DEST Question No. E719\_04**

Senator Carr provided in writing.

*Refers to Evaluation of Establishment Grants program pp. 13; 63-64*

**Question:**

The report of the evaluation of the Establishment Grants program provides information on trends in non-government schools' enrolments, and in the numbers of schools, by affiliation, 1993-2002.

Has the Commonwealth undertaken any analysis of these trends?

Can you provide copies of any reports or papers on this issue?

**Answer:**

*Trends in non-government schools: affiliation*

The Department has not undertaken an analysis of non-government school enrolments or schools by affiliation. From time to time this data has been included in certain publications such as the *Discussion Paper Review of New Schools Policy, July 1995* and the *Report of the Evaluation of the Establishment Grants Programme December, 2003*.