

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.4 – Funding for higher education

DEST Question No. E798_04

Senator Carr asked on 20 February 2004, EWRE Hansard page 22.

Question:

By 2008, of those 25,000 (increases in places) how many new enrolments will we find?

Answer:

New Enrolments

There will be 9100 commencing places in 2008.

The following table outlines the introduction of these places:

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 |
|-------------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Commencing Places | 9100 | 9100 | 9100 | 9100 |
| <i>continuing</i> | | 6825 | 6825 | 6825 |
| <i>continuing</i> | | | 5119 | 5119 |
| <i>continuing</i> | | | | 3839 |
| Total Additional Places | 9,100 | 15,925 | 21,044 | 24,883 |

In every year from 2005 to 2008, there will be 9100 new commencing places. In addition, there will be 75% continuation into each year subsequent to 2005. In 2006, there will be 9100 plus 6825 continuing places; in 2007, there will be 9100 plus 11,944 continuing places, and in 2008, 9100 plus 15,783 continuing places, providing the total in 2008 of 24,883 places.