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Outcome: CSIRO Output Group: CSIRO

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Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

Flagships

Was this done by CSIRO because the external fund target attracted into the Flagships fell well below budgeted targets?

Answer:

CSIRO has provided the following response:

Flagships

No. In-kind support from CSIRO partners and collaborators was always recognised as a likely and valuable means of supporting Flagship programs. Access to specialised facilities maintained by our partners, for example, can provide direct and beneficial impact on outcomes and often forges stronger collaborative alliances.