Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2009-2010

Outcome 1 - Early Childhood

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Question

PROVIDE A STATE-BY-STATE BREAK-UP FOR THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN USING FAMILY DAY CARE AND IN-HOME CARE

Senator JACINTA COLLINS—And is there a break-up for family day care and inhome care?

Ms Shugg-I do not have a break-up with me. I can take that question on notice.

Answer

The number of children using family day care and in-home care are detailed in the following table:

Number of children using family day care and in-home care by state/territory, June quarter 2009

Service type	NSW	Vic.	Qld.	SA	WA	Tas.	NT	ACT	Australia
Family day care	31,980	22,929	19,793	7,807	5,714	4,608	791	1,375	94,950
In-home care	1,982	761	1,334	409	411	416	0	12	5,320
Total family day care & In-home care	33,841	23,660	21,075	8,199	6,096	4,965	791	1,387	99,956

Notes:

- 1. As children may use child care in more than one state/territory, the sum over all states/territoriesmay not equal the Australia total.
- 2. As children may use more than one service type in a quarter, the sum of the component parts may not equal the total.