

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2013-2014**

Cross Portfolio

Department of Education Question No. ED0332_14

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

Dept/Ag - Commissioned reports

1. Since the Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013, how many Reports (including paid external advice) have been commissioned by the Minister, department or agency? Please provide details of each report including date commissioned, date report handed to Government, date of public release, Terms of Reference and Committee members.
2. How much did each report cost/or is estimated to cost? How many departmental or external staff were involved in each report and at what level?
3. What is the current status of each report? When is the Government intending to respond to these reports?

Answer

Two reports were commissioned as a result of reviews commenced between the Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 and end February 2014:

- a) Review of the Australian Curriculum
- b) Teacher Education Ministerial Advisory Group

For details, see the answer to ED0319_14