

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

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

Outcome 1 - Early Childhood Education and Child Care

Department of Education Question No. ED0431_14

Senator Lines asked on 26 February 2014 , Hansard page 73

Question

Childcare Accessibility Fund

Senator LINES: Which local government areas applied for funding? Ms Wilson: I do not have a list with me of all the different areas. Senator LINES: Can you take that on notice?

Answer

Applications were open to all local government areas across Australia. The Department received 51 applications, which included:

- 1 from the Australian Capital Territory;
- 25 from New South Wales;
- 2 from the Northern Territory;
- 1 from Queensland;
- 5 from South Australia;
- 1 from Tasmania;
- 9 from Victoria; and
- 7 from Western Australia.

The Child Care Accessibility Fund Grant applications are currently under consideration and it is not the Department's practice to release particulars of individual applicants while a process is underway.