

**EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING**

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
2004-2005 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING**

**Outcome:** 2

**Output Group:** 2.5 – Assistance for post school students including those with special needs

**DEST Question No. E087\_05**

Senator Carr provided in writing.

*Refers to E903\_04*

**Question:**

Please provide a state by state breakdown of the \$2.2 billion doubtful HECS debt for the financial year about to end (2003-04).

**Answer:**

*HECS Doubtful Debt breakdown by state*

The doubtful HECS debt (estimated or actual) is calculated at an aggregate level and cannot be broken down by state.