

## EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

### SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

**Outcome:** 3

**Output Group:** 3.2 – Assistance for science collaboration and innovation.

#### **DEST Question No. E135\_06**

Senator Carr provided in writing.

#### **Question:**

Do you have an idea now of how much it will cost to submitted licensee application to ARPANSA? Please provide details and costs. How many applications does DEST anticipate it will submit?

#### **Answer:**

*Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Facility*

Licences will need to be obtained from the Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency to site, construct and operate the Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Facility. Licence application fees are set out in the *Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Regulations 1999*.