EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2006-2007 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 1

Output Group: 1.1 – Funding for school

DEST Question No. E013_07

Senator Evans asked on 31 May, 2006, EWRE Hansard page 114.

Question:

You used the term 'detailed offer'. When was the detailed offer made to the states and territories?

Answer:

Dates detailed Indigenous Education Agreements (2005-2008) were offered to states and territories

An Indigenous Education Agreement for the 2005-2008 quadrennium, or 'detailed offer', was made to each major provider at their first bilateral negotiation meeting following a multilateral meeting on 13 December 2004. These negotiations commenced with each major provider on:

| | Government System | Catholic System |
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| Australian Capital Territory | 28 February 2005 | 28 February 2005 |
| New South Wales | 24 February 2005 | 3 March 2005 |
| Northern Territory | 28 January 2005 | 28 January 2005 |
| Queensland | 3 February 2005 | 2 February 2005 |
| South Australia | 27 January 2005 | 28 January 2005 |
| Tasmania | 22 February 2005 | 22 February 2005 |
| Victoria | 7 February 2005 | 8 February 2005 |
| Western Australia | 25 January 2005 | 24 February 2005 |