

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: 3

Output Group: 3.2 – Assistance for collaboration and innovation

DEST Question No. E381_07

Senator Wong provided in writing.

Question:

Has the Minister been involved in establishing conflict of interest guidelines or process for managing actual or potential conflict, given the appointment is hers?

Answer:

Conflict of interest guidelines

The Minister has approved and is a signatory to the Chief Scientist's Deed of Appointment which sets out the procedures under which a conflict of interest is to be managed.