SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

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Question

Child Care Industry Taskforce Questions on ABC Learning

Senator HANSON-YOUNG—You have outlined previous experience, but how many of those operators of those centres have official accreditation?

Mr Manthorpe—I would imagine that the 48 who are current operators did, but for abundant caution I can take that on notice and check.

Senator HANSON-YOUNG—That would be good.

Answer

Of the 75 operators who have purchased ABC2 Centres 59 have previously received accreditation by the National Child Care Accreditation Council.