

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Outcome 2 – Schools and Youth

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Question

breakdown of costing

Senator BACK: So is it reasonable to ask you to take on notice what might be the breakdown of the costing for those different groups? Ms Paul: Sure. Senator BACK: That would be excellent. Ms Paul: Sorry. Just to clarify, are you asking for the potential breakdown for the \$5.8 million, or are you asking for the costs of running each of those groups? Senator BACK: In this particular case, the cost to support the work of each of these: policy; strategic policy; ministerial schools reference; capital funding; schools data; Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander — Ms Paul: So secretariat and these sorts of— Senator BACK: Exactly. That is correct. I asked earlier about consultants. Deloitte have been or will be engaged as part of the exercise?

Answer

The department is in the process of determining a breakdown for the \$5.8 million.