

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
2004-2005 SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES**

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.4 – Funding for Higher Education

DEST Question No. E454_05

Senator Stott-Despoja provided in writing.

Question:

What are the estimated savings to universities of removing reporting requirements to the States?

Answer:

Savings on reporting requirements

The Department has not made any assessment as yet of the scale of savings to universities that may arise from removing State reporting requirements. Until such time as possible models for a transfer of responsibilities to the Commonwealth are identified it is not possible to estimate the impact on reporting requirements.