

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND**  
**INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO**  
**2012-13 Additional Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** 5

**Question No:** 312

**Topic:** Better Start for Children with Disability

**Hansard Page:** Written

**Senator Fifield** asked:

How many applications have been received for funding under the Better Start Initiative since June 2012 to the current date?

**Answer:**

2,022 children applied for Better Start funding from 1 June 2012 to 28 February 2013.