Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND

INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO 2011-12 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 6 Question No: 144

Topic: National Women's Alliances

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Senator Cash asked:

In March 2010, the Australian Government committed \$3.6 million in core funding for six National Women's Alliances over three years from 2010-11 to 2012-13. In addition to core funding, the Government also provides the Alliances with access to a total of \$300,000 in additional funding to support them to respond to emerging issues relating to women and gender equality.

How much of the \$300,000 has been allocated to each Alliance. What emerging issues have they been responding to?

Answer:

\$50,000 has been allocated to each Alliance.

Information about the emerging issues that the Alliances will be responding to can be found at:

http://www.kateellis.fahcsia.gov.au/mediareleases/2011/Pages/new_project_women_org_270 62011.aspx