

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee**
Answers to questions on notice
Environment portfolio

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Programme: Clean Energy Regulator
Topic: Cost benefit analysis of the current RET target
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Senator Back asked:

1. Has the Clean Energy Regulator undertaken a cost/benefit analysis of the current RET target? If so, would you please advise of the results. If not, please undertake an analysis.

Answer:

No. A cost/benefit analysis of the current Renewable Energy Target does not fall within the remit of the Clean Energy Regulator. The role of the Clean Energy Regulator is to administer the current legislation.