

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-2014**

Outcome 3 - Higher Education, Research and International

**Department of Education Question No. ED0070_14
Senator Carr provided in writing.**

Question

Higher Education Support Act 2003 - Diversity and Structural Adjustment

For the Higher Education Support Act 2003 - Diversity and Structural Adjustment please provide: a. the 2012-13 updated budget outcome for this program b. Current forward estimates for 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2017-18 c. What the breakdown of these estimates is between administered and Departmental costs? d. How many FTE staff positions are allocated to the running of the Higher Education Support Act 2003 - Diversity and Structural Adjustment?

Answer

a, b and c. The 2012-13 to 2017-18 budget and forward estimates outcome for the Diversity and Structural Adjustment programme is as follows.

Funding	2012-13 \$m	2013-14 \$m	2014-15 \$m	2015-16 \$m	2016-17 \$m	Total \$m
Departmental	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Administered*	73.394	1.257	0.622	0.0	0.0	75.273
Totals	73.394	1.257	0.622	0.0	0.0	75.273

**Higher Education Support Act 2003 Special Appropriation*

d. There is no specific allocation of resources for the programme management of Higher Education Support Act 2003 - Diversity and Structural Adjustment