Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-2014

Outcome 2 - Schools and Youth

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Question

Victorian school funding for 2014

Senator WRIGHT: No, but I do want to know who they were. If I can go now to Victorian funding under the Better Schools plan. First of all, how much money will the department provide to Victoria's public, Catholic and independent sectors respectively for 2014 under the Better Schools plan? Ms Paul: I suspect that we probably have already taken it on notice for Senator O'Neill. There was a range of funding questions. We are currently, as Mr Cook described before and he can do so again, going through the process of updating according to enrolments against the various loadings and so on. So we are right in that process now. So will take it on notice and get that you.

Answer

The table below represents the level of funding that has been calculated for the Victorian Government, Catholic and Independent sectors, noting this is a provisional entitlement subject to change in 2014 once final enrolments and demographic information is known for each school.

Table 1: Victorian provisional entitlement (as at 12 December 2013)

	2014 Provisional Entitlement
Victoria	(\$ millions)
Government	1080.1
Catholic	1475.4
Independent	698.6
Total	3254.1