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Question

Funding to New South Wales Family Day Care Association and Family Day Care Association of Queensland for consultation

Senator LINES: How much funding did you give to New South Wales Family Day Care Association and Family Day Care Association of Queensland to undertake the consultation? Ms Wilson: The whole package, which includes face-to-face information sessions and contact all across Australia as well as business support and case management for individual services who might find themselves having issues about restructuring their business, was about \$1 million in total. Senator LINES: Was that split equally across New South Wales and Queensland? Ms Wilson: I do not have the detail of how exactly the money was divided. But it was basically for the task to be done and for New South Wales and Queensland to divide the task between themselves. Senator LINES: Is there some kind of formal agreement? Ms Wilson: That is right. Senator LINES: Are you able to table that? Mrs Pearce: I have not got the formal agreement. Ms Wilson: We can certainly take it on notice.

Answer

Information about the grant agreement between the Commonwealth and Family Day Care New South Wales – listed as item GRN26196 can be found at http://docs.education.gov.au/node/36033