

Senate Finance and Administration Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-14, 22 November 2013

Question: E13-202

OUTCOME: 8 - Indigenous Health

Topic: National Partnership Agreement on Closing the Gap in Indigenous Health Outcomes

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: McLucas

Question:

What negotiations have taken place with the States and Territories regarding a new National Partnership Agreement on Indigenous Health Outcomes since the election?

Answer:

The National Partnership Agreement on Closing the Gap in Indigenous Health Outcomes expired on 30 June 2013. The Council of Australian Governments, at its meeting in Canberra on 13 December 2013, decided not to renew the National Partnership on Closing the Gap in Indigenous Health Outcomes.