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TOPIC: North West and Northern Tasmania Innovation and Investment Fund (NWNTIIF)

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QUESTION No.: AI-73

What is the role of the Federal Government in the assessment and/or announcement of the \$2.5 million in funding under the Regional Assistance Program for N and NW Tasmania?

With applications closing 15 March, when do you expect announcement of successful applicants?

ANSWER:

The Federal Government has no role in the assessment or announcement of the \$2.5 million Regional Assistance program.

Announcements are a matter for the Tasmanian Government.