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QUESTION No.: AI-87

What has been the upshot of the trial of the day/night test ball, after the trials with the under 23 teams from Western Australia and South Australia?

ANSWER

The Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) is unable to comment as we have not been involved in these trials. At Cricket Australia's request, CSIRO developed a project to conduct research on cricket balls, but at this stage Cricket Australia has not engaged CSIRO to undertake that research.