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TOPIC: Cleaner Car Rebate – staffing numbers

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QUESTION No.: AI-21

Senator COLBECK—Have you kept any records of how many ASLs in the department would have worked on the ‘cash for clunkers’ scheme? I have forgotten the name of it.

Senator Carr—The Cleaner Car Rebate.

Senator COLBECK—It might take a while, Minister.

Ms Weston—Can you repeat the question, Senator?

Senator COLBECK—How many staff in the department would have been working on that scheme?

Ms Weston—We probably will take that on notice. I said there were some people who were working on how the scheme might look, but how much of their time was involved in that as well as other duties—we will have to do a little calculation for you, Senator.

ANSWER

For the Department of Innovation, Industry, Science and Research, 1.8375 ASL worked on the Cleaner Car Rebate scheme this financial year.