

**Senate Economics Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
Industry, Tourism and Resources Portfolio  
Budget Estimates Hearing 2007-08  
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**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:** INDUSTRY, TOURISM AND RESOURCES

**TOPIC:** Commercialising Emerging Technologies (COMET) Program

**REFERENCE:** Written Question

**QUESTION No. B1-50**

**Senator Campbell** asked:

How many, and what has the total amount come to?

**ANSWER**

The average number of grant recipients where repayment has been requested over the last three financial years is 20 per annum. The average total amount requested each year over the last three financial years is \$200,000.