## **Senate Economics Legislation Committee**

## ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Industry, Tourism and Resources Portfolio Budget Estimates Hearing 2007-08 28 May 2007

**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:** INDUSTRY, TOURISM AND RESOURCES

**TOPIC:** R&D Tax Concession (further to tabled document 4)

**REFERENCE:** Written Question

**QUESTION No. B1-91** 

## **Senator Carr** asked:

The IR&D Board Annual Report includes details of the number of registrants for the R&D Tax Concession that are in each of the following turnover groups:

- $\leq$  \$500,000; > \$500,000 to \$1 million; > \$1 million to \$5 million; > \$5 million to \$10 million; > \$10 million to \$25 million; > \$25 million to \$50 million; and > \$50 million. It also provides the total R&D expenditure claimed by registrants in each group.
- d. For the first three turnover groups (ie up to \$5 million), please break down the figures provided in (c) above by Offset and concession.
- e. For each turnover group, please provide the number of registrants in each ANZIC industry group.

(this refers to those questions which remained unanswered from the written questions from Senator Carr)

## **ANSWER**

Question B1-91d Breakdown by three turnover groups and by program element.

Intensity Range - 1% and below

			R&D	
<b>Turnover Ranges</b>	Program Name B	Count	Expend. \$m	
Less than \$500,000	125% Concession	1	0	
	125% Offset			
	175% Premium			
	Offset			
Between \$500,000 &				
\$1m	125% Concession	1	0	
	125% Offset			
	175% Premium			
	Offset			
Between \$1 & \$5m	125% Concession	8	0	
	125% Offset	7	0	
	175% Premium			
	Offset			

Intensity Range - Between 1% & 2%

			R&D	
<b>Turnover Ranges</b>	Program Name B	Count	Expend. \$m	
Less than \$500,000	125% Concession	1	0	
	125% Offset			
	175% Premium			
	Offset			
Between \$500,000 &				
\$1m	125% Concession	2	0	
	125% Offset			
	175% Premium			
	Offset			
Between \$1 & \$5m	125% Concession	21	1	
	125% Offset	14	0	
	175% Premium			
	Offset	2	0	

Question 1e – Firms by turnover and ANZIC

	Between	Between \$10m &	Between \$25 &	Between \$5	Between \$500,000 &	Greater than	Less than
ANZSIC	\$1 & \$5m	25m	\$50m	& \$10m	\$1m	\$50m	\$500,000
00X	46	26	14	21	31	34	125
10X	45	34	35	22	15	171	107
21X	21	35	22	13	8	103	40
22X	9	np	np	np	np	np	10
23X	8	4	np	np	5	20	6
24X	16	8	np	6	4	10	19
25X	98	45	28	42	22	72	129
26X	20	7	9	4	7	27	13
27X	53	30	15	29	11	55	45
28X	357	116	66	119	125	80	363
29X	92	35	14	27	32	27	125
36X	7	np	5	np	5	13	32
40X	25	12	12	6	11	37	38
45X	26	12	4	10	9	31	26
57X	np					np	np
60X	13	4	np	np	8	24	17
73X	73	26	8	22	26	63	91
77X	364	52	28	60	206	45	644
81X	47	6	7	9	31	7	107
92X	8	4	np	np	4	9	26
Total	>1328	462	279	401	>560	833	1964

For confidentiality reasons cells with 1-3 firms are reported as 'np' (non publishable).