

**Senate Standing Committee on Economics**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
Innovation, Industry, Science and Research Portfolio  
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**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:** INNOVATION, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

**TOPIC:** Business Enterprise Centre Funding

**REFERENCE:** Written Question – Senator Abetz

**QUESTION No.** BI-65

How will the success of this program be measured?

**ANSWER**

The success of the program will be measured by the number of additional low cost advisory services provided to small business by the BECs (funded under this program) to assist the development and prosperity of small businesses in Australia. (See page 28 of the Department's Portfolio Budget Statements 2008-09).