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TOPIC: Australian Laureate Fellowships and Future Fellowships

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QUESTION No. BI-148

Who decides which applications are successful under (a) the Australian Laureate Fellowships; and (b) the Future Fellowships?

ANSWER

A Selection Advisory Committee comprising national experts assesses applications with support from other national experts and provides advice to the Chief Executive Officer, who then provides funding recommendations to the Minister for approval.