

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Question No: BET 225

Topic: BER Funding and P21 Funding

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Senator Back asked:

Senator BACK: Yes. The questions relate to whether or not quarterly reports relating to the BER funding and the P21 funding submitted by the states and territories as part of their commitment under the national partnership agreement are considered at the quarterly meetings or whenever the ministerial council meets.
Mr Heferen: We would have to take that on notice.

Answer:

Quarterly reports as required under the National Partnership Agreement on the Nation Building and Jobs Plan have been submitted by all States and Territories in each quarter. These reports are submitted to Heads of Treasuries every three months and are approved for consideration by the Ministerial Council. The reports are then provided to the Ministerial Council for consideration.