Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Industry Portfolio Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearing 2013-14 21 November 2013

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

TOPIC: Textile, Clothing and Footwear Investment and Innovation Programs Act 1999

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Carr

QUESTION No.: SI-102

For appropriations under the Textile, Clothing and Footwear Investment and Innovation Programs Act 1999 please provide:

- 1. The 2012-13 updated budget outcome for this program
- 2. Current forward estimates for 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2017-18
- 3. What the breakdown of these estimates is between administered and Departmental costs?
- 4. How many FTE staff positions are allocated to the running of Textile, Clothing and Footwear Investment and Innovation Programs Act 1999?

ANSWER

- 1. Actual administered expenses for 2012-13 was \$24.7 million.
- 2. For the administered program expenses refer to the table on page 38 of the *Industry*, *Innovation*, *Climate Change*, *Science*, *Research and Tertiary Education Portfolio Budget Statements 2013-14*, unless the program was impacted by measures reported in the 2013-14 Mid-Year Economic and Fiscal Outlook, whereby the revised program estimates will be available in the Industry Portfolio Additional Estimates Statements 2013-14.
- 3. The estimates referenced in answer 2 are administered expenses only. The Department does not generally maintain details of the breakdown of departmental costs by program.
- 4. Allocation of staff to departmental programmes is not available as staff work on multiple programmes and tasks depending on priorities and workload.