

Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

TOPIC: National Workforce Development Fund

REFERENCE: Written Question –Senator Carr

QUESTION No.: SI-136

1. Has the Department provided any briefings to the Minister regarding NWDF funding applications currently before the assessment panel?
2. Have any decisions been made regarding continuation of funding under the National Workforce Development Fund?
3. Have any stakeholders contacted the Minister or the Department expressing concern about ongoing or future funding?

ANSWER

As at 15 January 2014 the Department has not provided any briefing to the Minister regarding applications presently with assessment panels for consideration.

Applications for funding continue to be received and assessed.

Some applicants have contacted the Minister or the Department regarding the status of their applications.