Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Industry Portfolio Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-14 21 November 2013

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

TOPIC: Industry Innovation Precincts

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Carr

QUESTION No.: SI-92

For Industry Innovation Precincts 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 Industry Innovation Precincts?

ANSWER

- 1. Actual administered expenses for 2012-13 was \$4.754 million.
- 2. For the administered costs refer to page 37 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 Department does not generally maintain details of the breakdown of departmental costs by programme.
- 4. Allocation of staff to departmental programmes is not available as staff work on multiple programmes and tasks depending on priorities and workload.

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