

**EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING**

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
2003-2004 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING**

**Outcome:** 2

**Output Group:** 2.4 – Funding for higher education

**DEST Question No. E800\_04**

Senator Carr asked on 20 February 2004, EWRE Hansard page 24.

**Question:**

Could you confirm that in 2007 there are only 2,800 new commencements and in 2008 there are 1,800.

**Answer:**

*New commencements in 2007 and 2008*

In addition to the 9,100 commencing places as explained in QoN 798\_04 there are 2,800 new Commonwealth supported commencing places planned for 2007 and 1,800 new Commonwealth supported commencing places planned for 2008.

In total, in 2008 there will be 13,700 commencing places.