

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2004-2005 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.2 – New Apprenticeships

DEST Question No. E484_05

Senator Carr asked on 16 February 2005, EWRE Hansard pages 7 and 98.

Question:

Surveys conducted by the Social Research Centre – they were both on New Apprenticeships. What was the duration of the contracts? What was the purpose? What were the findings?

Answer:

Social Research Centre

The two contracts with the Social Research Centre are:

- Contract no 2789 (PRN 3521) – survey of short term New Apprenticeship outcomes, with a contract period from 2 December 2003 to 28 February 2005;
- Contract no 75104 (PRN 5454) – survey of long term New Apprenticeship outcomes, with a contract period from 28 April 2004 to 30 June 2004.

This matter was dealt with in a return to a notice of motion in the Senate by Senator Carr on 17 March 2005.