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Senator Carr asked on 16 February 2005, EWRE Hansard page 31.

Question:

Dr Garrett - "...My understanding-and I stand to be corrected when we have the facts-is that it is approximately a \$70,000 study, so it is a relatively small study.

Senator Carr - A small study?

Dr Garrett - It is important but small in the sense that that it was \$70,000.

Senator Carr - It was \$70,000?

Dr Garrett - That is my understanding. I could be out by a significant number, so I will come back to you on that."

Answer:

CSIRO has provided the following response.

Latrobe Aquifer Study cost

It was a relatively small study with a total cost of \$54,616.