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Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

What were the relativities taken into account when negotiating a salary for Ms Staunton?

Answer:

CSIRO has provided the following response.

Director Communications/Appointment

Executive search firm Korn/Ferry International were retained by CSIRO to assist with this recruitment. They provided advice on prevailing market relativities for high level organisation communication professionals and this advice was considered when the salary for Ms Staunton was negotiated.