

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

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Senator Crossin asked on 16 February 2005, EWRE Hansard page 113.

Question:

Provide a list of how many people attended the consultations in each capital city.

Answer:

ABSTUDY Consultations

The location and number of participants at each capital city consultation for the review into the impact of ABSTUDY policy changes are outlined in the table below. No consultation session was held in Hobart due to insufficient interest. Planned consultations in Cairns and Townsville and a video conference for stakeholders in remote areas were cancelled for the same reason.

Two consultation sessions were held in Canberra. One of the Canberra consultation sessions was conducted with members of the National Indigenous Higher Education Network.

Three consultation sessions were held in Melbourne. One of the Melbourne consultation sessions was conducted as part of the national meeting of the Australian Indigenous Training and Advisory Council.

Location	Number of persons attending
Canberra	50
Melbourne	31
Brisbane	6
Perth	11
Sydney	12
Adelaide	9
Darwin	9
Total	128