

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 3

Output Group: 3.2 – Assistance for science collaboration and innovation

DEST Question No. E1007_06

Senator Stephens provided in writing.

Question:

How much of the \$2.8 million allocated to the Research Quality and Accessibility Frameworks in BAA2 has been spent on each? Please provide full breakdown of expenses. Have any additional funds been appropriated for the RQF? Please provide breakdown.

Answer:

Research Quality Framework (RQF)

Description	2004/05	2005/06	Total
	16 August 2004 to 30 June 2005	1 July 2005 to 28 February 2006	2004/05 and 2005/06
Costs	\$	\$	\$
Research Quality Total	1,084,118	807,060	1,891,178
Research Accessibility Total	40,758	33,401	74,160

In total, from 16 August 2004 to 28 February 2006, \$1,891,178 has been expended on the RQF.

Please refer *DEST Question No. E1006_06* for a full breakdown of expenses for the RQF.

No additional funds have been appropriated for the RQF.