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

Outcome: CSIRO Output Group: CSIRO

DEST Question No. E1076_06

Senator Stephens provided in writing.

Refers to DEST Question No. E924 06.

Question:

The SIP document states that CSIRO conducted a Manufacturing Review of the \$120m spent directly on manufacturing research and \$100m spent on "research that has some relevance to manufacturing."

"CSIRO's Manufacturing Review has identified the need for some immediate change in our investment profile and additional change is foreshadowed in the future." (p.6)

What are the recommendations of the Manufacturing Review? Please provide a copy.

Answer:

CSIRO has provided the following response.

Manufacturing Review

See response to question E924 06.

Stage 1 of the Manufacturing Roadmap development was a review of the external manufacturing industry and environment. This information is being used as background for the next stages of the Roadmap development.