

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: 3

Output Group: 3.2 – Assistance for collaboration and innovation.

DEST Question No. E1110_06

Senator Stephens provided in writing.

Question:

How many people were on the shortlist of appointees? What criteria were applied to the shortlist? What backgrounds did each of the people on the shortlist have?

Answer:

CSIRO Board Appointments

CSIRO Board appointments were made after an executive search process.

New members with strong strategic and commercial competencies and experience with large and small-to-medium sized business enterprises were sought.

The two appointees have extensive corporate governance experience, diverse industry experience and complementary competencies in large and small-to-medium sized business enterprises.