EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: CSIRO Output Group: CSIRO

DEST Question No. E947_06

Senator Stott Despoja provided in writing.

Question:

While CSIRO has announced the filling of two vacancies on the Board several months after they became vacant, why has there been no announcement of renewal or replacement of the Chairman, Catherine Livingstone, whose term of office ended on 31 December 2005 (Annual Report, page 120) and who has been Acting Chairman since 1 January 2006?

Answer:

CSIRO has provided the following response.

CSIRO Board Membership

In December 2005, the Government decided to extend the term of the CSIRO Board Chairman, Catherine Livingstone to 31 December 2006.