

**EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING**

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
2006-2007 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING**

**Outcome:** CSIRO  
**Output Group:** CSIRO

**DEST Question No. E1030\_07**

Senator Carr provided in writing.

**Question:**

At the February 2007 Estimate hearings Dr Sandlands claimed that Dr Steele has been "intimately involved in the commercialisation side of G-bIRD."  
On what date did Dr Steele first become directly involved in this project?

**Answer:**

CSIRO has provided the following response.

*G-bIRD*

On 20 June 2005.