

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Additional Estimates 2012-2013**

**Cross Portfolio**

**DEEWR Question No. EW0819\_13**

**Senator Back provided in writing.**

**Question**

**Electricity costs**

What are the details of the department/agency electricity purchasing agreement? What are the department/agency electricity costs for this financial year to date?

**Answer**

Electricity is supplied to ACT tenancies by ERM Business Energy under the Whole of Government Electricity Contract. Electricity supply in the States and Northern Territory is through various local arrangements.

Total electricity costs recorded for this financial year to 28 February 2013 are \$881 984.