

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
2003-2004 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING**

Outcome: 3

Output Group: 3.2 – Assistance for science collaboration and innovation

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Senator Carr tabled on 4 June 2003, EWRE Hansard page 382

Question:

You would not have needed the road upgrade for Site 52a; is that right? When will you have that costing (for the road to Site 40a)? Can you take on notice that that be provided to the committee?

Answer:

Cost of road upgrade

As discussed during the hearing, no road upgrade was going to be required if Site 52a had been selected as the site for the national repository. The estimated cost for the upgrading of the existing pastoral track to Site 40a is \$3.5 million.