EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.4 – Funding for higher education

DEST Question No. E166_04

Senator Carr asked on 5 June 2003

Question:

- a) How many Australians go to university at some point?
- b) What is the school to university transfer rate?

Answer:

Higher education participation

- a) Estimates prepared by the Department for the Higher Education Review indicated that the probability of a person participating in higher education at some point in their life is 47 per cent.
- b) The Department has not published any recent school to university transfer rates.