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SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2004-2005 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome:

Output Group: 1.1 – Funding for Schools

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Senator Carr asked on 1 June, 2004, EWRE Hansard pages 96-97.

Question:

Do you have any advice on the schools that have sought exemptions from the antidiscrimination legislation?

Answer:

Anti-discrimination legislation

Exemptions from the provisions of the anti-discrimination legislation would have to be sought through the Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission (HREOC).

The HREOC register of sex exemptions granted is included as an Attachment in the Bills Digest for the *Sex Discrimination Amendment (Teaching Profession) Bill 2004*, prepared by the Parliamentary Library. No schools are currently listed on that register.