EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

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Senator Carr asked on 3 June 2004, EWRE Hansard page 15.

Question:

Senator Carr sought a comparison of funding across the out years to identify changes to the availability of funding for Vocational Education and Training.

Answer:

VET Funding

The Department has provided the attached response.

Funding Item	2004-05 PBS Budget \$'000s	2005-06 PBS Budget \$'000s	2006-07 PBS Budget \$'000s	2007-08 PBS Budget \$'000s
VET Funding Act	1,148,853	1,167,197	1,217,557	1,267,351
Direct Purchase of Places for Priority Groups	25,954	39,417	10,706	-
National Programmes, Section 11, ANTA Act	35,278	36,756	37,450	37,996
National Centre for Vocational Education Research	579	587	601	613
2.1 Sub Total	1,210,664	1,243,957	1,266,314	1,305,960
New Apprenticeship Centres	133,055	139,123	144,786	149,614
Support for New Apprenticeships	566,308	590,720	617,684	658,546
New Apprenticeship Workforce Development	15,517	16,898	17,284	17,630
New Apprenticeships Access	10,618	10,308	10,524	10,734
2.2 Sub Total	725,498	757,049	790,278	836,524
Workplace English Language & Literacy	13,906	14,203	14,473	14,763
Career Counselling	3,054	5,199	5,345	5,453
Language, Literacy & Numeracy Training	48,156	46,045	47,701	48,654
IT Skills for Older Workers	5,750	5,750	5,750	5,750
Disability Co-ordination Officers	1,280	1,418	1,328	1,355
TAS Environmental Tourism Initiative	_	_	_	_
2.3 Sub Total	72,146	72,615	74,597	75,975
Total	2,008,308	2,073,621	2,131,189	2,218,459