

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: 3

Output Group: 3.2 – Assistance for science collaboration and innovation

DEST Question No. E192_05

Senator Stott-Despoja provided in writing

Question:

In relation to question E750_04, what is the reasoning for not pursuing report recommendation II-09 at this time?

Answer:

CRCs

The CRC Committee recommended to the Minister that all new CRCs be incorporated and that where this is not possible proponents would need to provide justification. The Committee advised the Minister that consideration of a possible legislated model for CRCs is not a high priority.