

## EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

### SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

**Outcome:** 3

**Output Group:** 3.2 – Assistance for science collaboration and innovation

#### **DEST Question No. E125\_06**

Senator Carr provided in writing.

#### **Question:**

Given that the Northern Territory Parliament has passed legislation opposing a nuclear waste dump in that Territory, will you rule out the NT as a site?

#### **Answer:**

*Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Facility*

On 15 July 2005 the Minister for Education, Science and Training announced that three sites in the Northern Territory had been identified for detailed consideration of their suitability as the site for the Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Facility.