

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.5 – Assistance for post school students including those with special needs

DEST Question No. E381_06

Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

What projections are available for future years for doubtful FEE-HELP debt in dollar terms and as a proportion of total FEE-HELP debt?

Please provide all available estimates.

Answer:

FEE-HELP doubtful debts

Doubtful debts estimates are calculated for the Higher Education Loan Programme (HELP) as a whole. Disaggregated estimates for FEE-HELP are not available.