## **EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING**

## SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2006-2007 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.2 - New Apprenticeships

**DEST Question No. E151\_07** 

Senator Wong provided in writing.

Refers to DEST Question No E389 05.

## Question:

For the 2003-2006 contract period, what was the total New Apprenticeship Centre (NAC) contracts awarded to the six ACCI affiliates listed in answer E389\_05? What is this as a proportion of total NAC contracts for each year?

## Answer:

Australian Apprenticeships Centres

The table below summarises Fee For Service payments made under the Australian Apprenticeships Support Services Contract 2003-2006 to five of the Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry affiliated Australian Apprenticeships Centres.

Information has not been provided on the Northern Territory Chamber of Commerce and Industry affiliate as it is a consortium member of an Australian Apprenticeships Centre and the Department pays Fee For Service to the consortium rather than to individual members.

|                    | 2003/2004      | % of<br>Total | 2004/2005    | % of<br>Total | 2005/2006    | % of<br>Total |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
|                    | Financial Year |               |              |               |              |               |
| Total for ACCI     |                |               |              |               |              |               |
| affiliates         | \$43,685,118   | 28%           | \$43,719,134 | 31%           | \$45,388,288 | 32%           |
|                    | \$153,756,33   |               | \$141,638,94 |               | \$142,826,82 |               |
| Total for all AACs | 4              |               | 4            |               | 3            |               |

Source: Hyperion TYIMS data as at 23 June 2006.