

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome: 1

Output Group: 1.2 – Assistance for individuals including those with special needs

DEST Question No. E316_07

Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

Portable funding for students with disabilities: feasibility study

1. In the light of the problems experienced with uptake of the Tutorial Voucher Initiative for literacy, how will the Department address these issues in the planned feasibility study for portable funding for students with disabilities, given that similar problems may be experienced?
2. How is it proposed to ensure equity of access for:
 - a. Socially and economically disadvantaged students; and
 - b. Those in remote and rural areas?

Answer:

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Details are yet to be determined