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SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2003-2004 SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 3
Output Group: 3.2

DEST Question No. E412_04

Senator Carr asked on 6 November 2003:

Question:

- a) Has the Commonwealth been asked to contribute approximately \$20 million, to match a commitment by the Gallop Government in Western Australia?
- b) Has the Department been approached for funding support by any portfolio agencies in this regard?
- c) When will a decision be made on funding for this project?

Answer:

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- a) There has been no formal approach to the Government for funding in this matter from any source within the Commonwealth or the Western Australian Government.
- b) The matter has been discussed with the CSIRO but there has been no formal approach.
- c) Not applicable.