

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
2004-2005 SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES**

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.4 – Funding for Higher Education

DEST Question No. E456_05

Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

What processes has the Department established to monitor increases in full fees following the introduction of FEE-HELP?

Answer:

FEE-HELP

The *Higher Education Support Act 2003* (HESA) does not regulate the level of fees for courses of study. It only regulates the level of student contribution amounts.

The Department has not established specific processes to monitor increases in full fees following the introduction of FEE-HELP.