

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 1

Output Group: 1.1 – Funding for schools

DEST Question No. E584_06

Senator Crossin provided in writing.

Question:

Please provide the number of applications, as well as the number who were successful for this program by state and territory and by government and non-government schools.

Answer:

Investing in Our Schools – applications

Table 1: 2005 IOSP Round One (grants of \$50,000 or less) government school applications as at 2 November 2005.

STATE	TOTAL APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	TOTAL APPLICATIONS APPROVED
ACT	74	59
SA	357	317
WA	476	379
TAS	257	116
NSW	1480	1348
QLD	709	638
VIC	1261	1123
NT	80	51
TOTAL	4694	4031

Table 2: 2005 IOSP grants for non-government schools as at 2 November 2005*.

BGA	Number of Projects Recommended by the BGAs*	Number of Projects Approved by the Minister
ACT	13	0
NSW	41	19
NT	10	10
QLD	43	1
SA	88	86
Tas	14	14
Vic	92	18
WA	35	35
Total	336	183

*Note: The application and assessment processes for non-government school grants are conducted separately by each of the Block Grant Authorities. Those processes are not submission based and DEST receives the schedule of recommended projects. As at 2 November 2005, not all of the recommended projects had been processed for Ministerial consideration.