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

Outcome: ANSTO
Output Group: ANSTO

DEST Question No. E719_07

Senator Wong asked on 1 November 2006, EWRE Hansard page 41:

Question:

Dr Smith, in respect of your suggestion that AINSE's estimates of skills needed for a processing plant is an overestimate, could you on notice indicate to me what you think would be a more accurate estimate.

Answer:

ANSTO has provided the following response:

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The question proceeds on a misunderstanding of Dr Smith's earlier response. As Dr Smith indicated at page EWRE 40, "I did not say it was incorrect. I said that we had not considered it and we had not been talking about reprocessing plants".