SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2009-10

Outcome 1

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Senator Payne asked on 22 October 2009, EEWR Hansard page 6

Question

Reconciliation of Regulation Impact Statement (RIS) figures How do the RIS figures reconcile with those in the Access Economics report?

Answer

The out of pocket costs table in the Consultation RIS (Table 6.3) is not in the Access Economics report to which Senator Payne referred during the Estimates Hearing. The figures at Table 6.3 in the Consultation RIS were, however, derived from the Access costings and can be reconciled to the Access costings by applying the rates of Child Care Rebate and Child Care Benefit that would be payable to a family on an income of \$80,000 per annum.