

Senate Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Transport and Regional Services

Department of Transport and Regional Services

Consideration of Additional Budget Estimates February 2005

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Output: Policy and Research Group – Regional Policy

Senator O'Brien asked:

Moving on to output 8.1, Regional policy, page 103 of the Department's Annual Report for 2003-04 contains advice that the cost of regional policy advice in the last financial year exceeded the revised Budget estimate by 70.5 per cent. Soon after the tabling of the Annual Report, I lodged question on notice **245** asking about this matter. It has not been answered. When did the Department provide the draft answer to my question to the Minister's office?

Answer:

The response to Question on Notice **245** was tabled on 8 March 2005.