

**STATE BUDGET — EDUCATION SAVINGS STRATEGIES**

*Question without Notice 778 — Answer Advice*

**HON PETER COLLIER (North Metropolitan — Leader of the House)** [5.08 pm]: I have a response to question without notice 778, asked by Hon Sue Ellery on 19 November.

I seek leave to have it incorporated into *Hansard*.

Leave granted.

The following material was incorporated —

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I thank the Hon. Member for some notice of this question.

Funding for education has been increased by \$300 million in 2013-14 to a total of \$4.4 billion. Despite this increase, schools will still be required to make some savings. The Government has committed to maintaining 2013 teacher FTE numbers in 2014. The strategies implemented by the Department of Education to deliver on this commitment include changes to the base teacher allocation, secondary stage weights, allocations for EAL/D and intensive English centres and allocations for Level 3 Classroom teachers.

The projections for 2014 will be influenced by a number of factors, including actual 2014 enrolments and staff permanency.

- a. \$4.1 million.
  - b. \$12.1 million.
  - c. \$35.4 million.
  - d. \$4.7 million.
  - e. \$3.5 million.
  - f. \$7.2 million.
  - g. \$16.2 million.
  - h. \$2.0 million.
  - i. \$1.5 million.
  - j. \$0.5 million.
  - k. \$2.3 million.
  - l. \$11.3 million.
  - m. \$0.7 million.
  - n. \$3.3 million.
  - o. \$15.0 million.
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