



STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY INCLUSION  
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**Inquiry into ACT Budget 2021–22**  
**ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

Elizabeth Kikkert: To ask the Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs

Ref: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs, Budget Statement G, p. 19, output class CSD 3.1  
Strategic Policy

In relation to: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Strategic Policy Projects

1. Have both 2020–21 projects listed in Note a. to Table 15 in Budget Statement G been completed?
2. If no, which hasn't/haven't been, and why?

RACHEL STEPHEN-SMITH MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

Project One: finalise the Outcomes Framework for the *ACT Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Agreement 2019-2028* is complete and is being used to measure the impact of actions in the ACT and National Agreements are having on the lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families. Progress taken against the Outcomes Framework will be reported annually.

Project Two: delivery of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Governance Framework and Toolkit in collaboration with the previous Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Elected Body was delayed due to the unavailability of consultants with specialist skills in Aboriginal community governance to undertake the work in the fourth quarter before the Elected Body entered the caretaker period.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Education and Community Inclusion

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By the Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs, Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA