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ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE
DURING PUBLIC HEARINGS

Asked by Ms Porter MLA on 23 June 2014 : Mr Whybrow took on notice the following question:

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In relation to : Special Needs Funding

Ms Porter: Please provide a summary of the movement in special education funding between 2013-14 and 2014-15?

Joy Burch MLA : The answer to the Member's question is as follows:—

The movement in government payment for outputs between the 2013-14 Estimated Outcome and 2014-15 Budget is \$0.343 million as shown on page 10 of the Education and Training Directorate's Budget Statements. The increase primarily relates to additional funding for indexation and increased enrolments (\$1.6 million) partially offset by the impact of rollovers associated with the students with disability national partnership (\$0.4 million) and the provision of half-year funding only for special needs transport while the Government considers this service in the context of the National Disability Insurance Scheme (\$0.8 million).

Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Estimates 2014-2015

Signature:

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Date:

1.7.14

By the Minister for Education and Training, Joy Burch MLA