

Questions taken on notice and further information agreed to be supplied at the hearings.

Portfolio:	Employment
Witness:	Hon Jaala Pulford
Committee Member:	Mr David Limbrick
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Relevant text:

Mr LIMBRICK: Thank you, Chair, and thank you, Minister and team, for appearing today. On budget paper 3, page 79, under Maximising local jobs and local content there is a sentence that says: Funding is provided to support the operation of Ethical Clothing Australia and the accreditation process for the Ethical Supplier Register. How much money is that because it is not broken down in the budget paper?

Ms PULFORD: I will take that on notice. I cannot recall precisely. It is not a significant grant, but it enables that accreditation process to continue, which in turn then supports a whole lot of enterprises to be able to demonstrate to consumers in an area of growing consumer demand that they have met that standard. I will take that on notice and come back to you, David.

Answer:

The Minister Pakula for Industry Support and Recovery is the Minister responsible for this grant however, I am advised that Ethical Clothing Australia will receive \$4 million over four (4) years from 2021/22 through the *Maximising local jobs and local content* initiative to support its operations and the accreditation process for the Ethical Supplier Register.