



Australian Government  
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The Treasury

## PUBLIC RELEASE OF 2016 ELECTION COMMITMENT COSTING

<b>Name of proposal costed: Ban Cosmetic Testing on Animals</b>	
<b>Costing Identifier:</b>	COA 026
<b>Summary of costing:</b>	<p>This costing outlines the fiscal impact of the proposal to ban from 1 July 2017:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• the testing of finished cosmetic products on animals in Australia;</li><li>• the testing of cosmetic ingredients on animals in Australia; and</li><li>• the sale of cosmetic products and ingredients that have been tested on animals outside of Australia.</li></ul> <p>As this proposal is limited to a regulatory change, there will be no direct fiscal impact on the Government's Budget.</p>
<b>Person making the request:</b>	Prime Minister
<b>Date costing request received:</b>	17/06/16
<b>Date of public release of policy:</b>	03/06/16
<b>Date costing completed:</b>	24/06/2016
<b>Additional information requested (including date):</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Additional information received (including date):</b>	Not applicable.

### Financial implications (outturn prices)<sup>(a)</sup>

Impact on	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Underlying Cash Balance (\$m)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fiscal Balance (\$m)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

(a) A positive number for the fiscal balance indicates an increase in revenue or a decrease in expenses or net capital investment in accrual terms. A positive number for the underlying cash balance indicates an increase in revenue or a decrease in expenses or net capital investment in cash terms.

### Where relevant, state that the proposal has been costed as a defined or specified amount.

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It is assumed that the policy would be implemented through regulation under or amendments to the *Industrial Chemicals (Notification and Assessment) Act 1989* (ICNA Act), under which the National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS) assesses industrial chemicals. The full costs of administering the NICNAS are currently recovered from industry; therefore, it is assumed that, should there be any costs in implementing the proposal, these would be incurred by industry not by the Government.

**Where relevant, include separate identification of revenue and expense components.**

Not applicable.

**Where appropriate, include a range for the costing or sensitivity analysis.**

Not applicable.

**Qualifications to the costing (including reasons for the costing not being comprehensive).**

Not applicable.

**Where relevant, explain effects of departmental expenses.**

Not applicable.

**Where relevant, explain the reason for any significant differences between the assumptions specified in a party costing request and those used in a Treasury or Finance costing.**

Not applicable.

**Other comments (including reasons for significant differences between the estimated impact on the fiscal and underlying cash balances).**

Not applicable.

**Background information**

**Costing methodology used:**

Not applicable.

**Behavioural assumptions used (as appropriate).**

Not applicable.

