

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON COVID-19

Universities Australia is pleased to provide the following answers to questions from the Committee.

28 JULY 2020 (IN-HEARING)

Question 1.

Senator James Paterson asked "I want to put a question on notice to both organisations on whether you made any comment or provided any analysis on the Professor Babones's report in August last year when it was released."

Answer:

Universities Australia has not made any public comment on the opinion piece that Senator Paterson has referred to.

Question 2.

Senator James Paterson asked: "I would be interested to know which of those members you refer to have had a 30 per cent decline or more of revenue within the first semester, or, if you can't do that, within the first year."

Answer:

Universities Australia is unable to answer the question asked by Senator Paterson, as we do not hold information on the finances of individual universities.