

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
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Outcome: Skills and Training

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ16-000601

Senator Carr, Kim provided in writing.

Federal takeover of vocational education and training

Question

The leaked COAG in Confidence document states that “government funded providers will be funded on the same basis as private providers”. Was this model of funding discussed at the COAG meeting in December or the Leader’s Retreat in July?

Has the Government prepared any alternative funding models for vocational education reform?

Answer

These matters are the responsibility of the Prime Minister and the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.