

## EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

### SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2006-2007 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING

**Outcome:** 2  
**Output Group:** 2.1 – Funding for vocational education and training

#### **DEST Question No. E782\_07**

Senator Carr provided in writing.

#### **Question:**

ANZSOG report on the transition of ANTA functions to DEST

E635\_07 refers to a consultancy reported in the latest DEST Annual Report on the ANTA transition. Is the case study complete? You say that publication will be for students at the Australian and New Zealand School of Government (ANZSOG). If so, why did DEST commission it?

Can a copy be provided to the Committee?

#### **Answer:**

*ANZSOG report on the transition of ANTA functions to DEST*

DEST contracted the Australia and New Zealand School of Government (ANZSOG) to develop a case study of the change management process for the transition of functions of the Australian National Training Authority (ANTA) to DEST.

It is expected that the document will be finalised by the end of April 2007.

As well as providing a learning tool for ANZSOG students, it serves to document a significant change management process for DEST's future reference.

The case study was developed specifically as a learning tool for public administration students of ANZSOG. The case study approach involves students discussing possible outcomes from the case which is then compared to the actual outcome. Due to this approach to learning, the case studies are not published, in the same way examination papers are not published prior to examinations.