

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2009-2010**

Outcome 2 - Schools

DEEWR Question No.EW0990_10

Senator Cash asked on 11/02/2010, Hansard page 19.

Refers to previous DEEWR Question No EW727_10.

Question

TTC - COMPLETIONS

Senator CASH—Could you take on notice, please, to provide the reasons that each of the 11 trade training centres, which the department had the expectation were to be completed by January 2010 and clearly have not been, have not been completed in that timeframe? And could you also, please, provide the name of each of the affected projects? And could you also, please, provide the expected completion date for each of those projects? With reference to the 12 trade training centres that you said at the last estimates hearing were to be completed by May 2010, could you please provide an update as to how they are progressing?

Mr De Silva—I actually covered that off in my first answer to you. Because I said we expect five to be completed next month.

Answer

As at October 2009, 11 Trade Training Centres were expected to be completed by the end of January 2010 and a further 12 were expected to be completed by the end of May 2010. The current status of these projects, as advised, is outlined in the table below.

Projects expected to be completed by January 2010

Project Name	LeadSchool Name	State/ Territory	Current Expected Completion Date	Reason for Delay (if any)
UnderdaleHigh School Automotive Trade Training Centre	UnderdaleHigh School	SA	Completed	
North West Hair and Beauty Trade Training Centre	St Brendan-Shaw College	TAS	Completed	
CatholicRegionalColleg e Trade Training Centre	Catholic Regional College-Sydenham	VIC	By end of March quarter	Construction has taken longer than scheduled
Bindoon Trade Training Centre	Catholic Agricultural College	WA	By end of March quarter	Finalisation of tender process took longer than expected
Metals Fabrication and Engineering Trade Training Centre	KormildaCollege	NT	By end of June quarter	Environmental
Epping Boy's High School Trade Training Centre	EppingBoysHigh School	NSW	By end of June quarter	Finalisation of tender process took longer than expected
The Armidale Trade Training Centre in Schools Consortium	The ArmidaleSchool	NSW	By end of June quarter	Finalisation of tender process took longer than expected
McCarthyCatholicColle ge Vocational Training Centre	McCarthyCatholicC ollege (Emu Plains)	NSW	By end of June quarter	Construction has taken longer than scheduled
Fabrication and Construction Trade Training Centre	Northern TerritoryChristianC ollege	NT	By end of June quarter	Environmental
DjarragunCollege Trade Training Centre	DjarragunCollege	QLD	By end of December quarter	Finalisation of tender process took longer than expected
Harristown State High School TTC - Construction	HarristownStateHig h School	QLD	By end of June quarter	Finalisation of tender process took longer than expected

Projects expected to be completed by May 2010

Project Name	Lead School Name	State/ Territory	Status
Mater Dei College Trade Training Centre	Mater Dei Catholic College	NSW	Construction underway
Seaton High School Electrotechnology Trade Training Centre	Seaton High School	SA	Construction underway
Flinders District Regional Trade Training Centre	Gladstone High School	SA	Construction underway
Pathways to Careers in Trades – Trade Training Centre	St Andrew's Catholic College Redlynch Valley	QLD	Construction underway
Southern Tasmanian Catholic Colleges' Trade Training Centre	Guilford Young College	TAS	Construction underway
Pathways to construction Trade Training Centre	Marist College Ashgrove	QLD	Construction underway
Morayfield Building Construction Trade Training Centre	Morayfield State High School	QLD	Construction underway
OLSH Thamarrurr Mechanical, Technical and Hospitality Trade Training Centre	Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Thamarrurr	NT	Construction underway
Wodonga Senior Secondary College North East Victoria Hub Trade Training Centre	Wodonga Senior Secondary College	VIC	Planning and Tender
Reaching Across Secondary Program Trade Training Centre	Broken Hill High School	NSW	Planning and Tender
Eastern Tablelands Trade Training Centre	Lithgow High school	NSW	Planning and Tender
E2skill Trade Training Centre	Orange High School	NSW	Planning and Tender

