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

# QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2010-2011

# **Outcome 3 - Higher Education**

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Senator Mason asked on 24/02/2011, Hansard page 108.

#### Question

## EVALUATION OF EFFECTIVENESS OF ALTC

Senator MASON—Was there a task force within the department which evaluated the effectiveness? Ms Paul—Not that I am aware of. I would have to look back and see whether there had been evaluations. The institute has been around for a while, under another name originally, so I can— Senator MASON—Within the last 12 months? Ms Paul—I do not think so within the last 12 months. There may be something before that. Senator MASON—How about an external consultant to review the activities of the ALTC? Ms Paul—I do not know. I will have to take that on notice. Senator MASON—So we are not sure if there has been any

#### Answer

The ALTC was most recently reviewed in 2008. A copy of the review report is publicly available at

http://www.deewr.gov.au/highereducation/programs/quality/pages/altc.aspx .