

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.4 – Funding for higher education.

DEST Question No. E326_06

Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

In reviewing higher education indexation DEST, review of arrangements as required under the HESA legislation, why did DEST choose to seek a arrangements in the higher education submission only from the AVCC, among higher sector education stakeholders and policy experts?

Answer:

DEST, Review of Indexation Arrangements in the Higher Education Sector

The Australian Vice-Chancellors' Committee is the peak body for the higher education sector and was invited to provide a submission to ensure that the Government was aware of any changes in its views.