

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2004-2005 SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 1
Output Group: 1.1 – Funding for schools

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Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

Has the department undertaken any analysis on the impact of the technical colleges on the TAFE and private providers and Vet in Schools programs operating in the locations listed to receive a technical college? If not, will this analysis be undertaken before July 2005?

Answer:

Technical Colleges

Tenders to establish Australian Technical Colleges will be based on partnerships of local businesses, private and public registered training organisations, including TAFEs, government and non-government schools, and universities and other education providers. All tenderers will be expected to demonstrate partnerships to enable the College to draw on existing industry and educational infrastructure.