EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

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

Outcome 3

Output Group: 3.3 – Support for the Australian education and training export industry

and international relationships.

DEST Question No. E770_06

Senator Wong asked on 2 November 2005, EWRE Hansard, page number 119.

Question:

(With regard to the financial viability of Bridge Business College Pty Ltd [Bridge])

Can you provide a copy of the financial risk assessment please?

I am also interested in the results of the financial risk assessment for Bridge.

Answer:

Financial risk assessment

The financial risk assessment conducted by the Department's Risk Management Section assessed Bridge as having low financial risk at that time.

It is inappropriate to provide a copy of the risk assessment as public disclosure may have an unreasonable effect on Bridge's business affairs.