

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
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DEEWR Question No. **EW747_10**

Senator Cash asked on 22 October 2009 EEWR Hansard page 108.

Question

Senator CASH—I also asked had the department had any discussions with the minister's office in relation to this particular college? The answer I was given was, 'The minister's office is informed of departmental actions involving registered providers when appropriate.' Can we turn specifically to this particular case. When was the minister's office actually notified by the department?

Mr Walters—We would have to take that on notice.

Senator CASH—Was the minister's office notified by the department?

Mr Walters—We certainly would have told them at some point in the proceedings. At any given moment there are quite a lot of issues going on, as you will imagine. So it is a question of when they are informed. We will take that on notice.

Answer

Maewill English College

On 10 September 2009 the Department advised the Minister's office of its actions with regard to Maewill English College.