

## Appendix 4

### Answers to Questions on Notice

- Hearing:** **Brisbane, 31 March 2003**
- Received:** **Australian National Training Authority:**  
**14 August 2003**
- (a) Market research on industry perception of the VET sector  
 National Strategy for VET 2004-2010 Report on focus group research December 2002  
 Initial Scoping Interview with 10 Industry leaders
- (b) Uphill systems modelling  
 Meta-analysis: new approaches to identifying the training needs of new and emerging industries and occupations  
 Supporting information: New Approaches to identifying training needs of new and emerging industries and occupations  
 Meta-analysis: making VET more conveniently accessible, especially for small business  
 Supporting information: making VET more conveniently accessible, especially for small business
- Hearing:** **Kwinana, 8 April 2003**
- Received:** **Kwinana Industries Education Partnership**  
**8 April 2003**  
 Ms Maryanne Hughes, Executive Officer
- Hearing:** **Launceston, 14 April 2003**
- Received:** **Australian School of Fine Furniture**  
**24 April 2003**  
 Mr Richard Millen, ASFF Executive Director
- Received:** **Tasmanian Building and Construction Industry Training Board:** M Peter Coad, Executive Director  
**28 April 2003**
- Provide a copy of a memorandum of understanding, partnering agreement underpinning the Building and Construction VET in Schools Program [EWRE p. 424]
- Received:** **Cradle Coast Authority:**  
**29 April 2003**  
 Mr Roger Jaensch, Chief Executive Officer
- Sustainable Regions 'Pathways' projects; articulation to higher education; identifying emerging industries; upskilling and reskilling of local people to address skill shortages

**Received:**  
**10 July 2003**

**Department of Education:**  
Office of Post Compulsory Education and Training

User choice: list of traditional trade areas quarantined from RTO delivery for TAFE, [EWRE p. 429]; Articulation strategies for mature entry pp. 430–32; Quality of assessment under the AQTF, [EWRE p. 433]

**Hearing:**

**Dandenong, 15 April 2003**

**Received:**  
**15 April 2003**

**Youth Assist Inc:** Mr Dave Glazebrook, Chief Executive Officer  
Young Mum's Project—Design and objectives. Assistance program for very young mothers and their children planned by Youth Assist Inc for delivery at the Visy Cares Centre, Dandenong

**Hearing:**

**Melbourne, 17 April 2003**

**Received:**  
**22 May 2003**

**Victorian Automobile Chamber of Commerce:**  
Mrs Leyla Yilmaz, Manager Industrial & Employee Relations  
Skills attrition in rural areas due to drought: limitations on access to incentive payments for drought declared areas

**Hearing:**

**Sydney, 6 May 2003**

**Received:**  
**8 May 2003**

**Group Training Australia:**  
Mr Jim Barron  
Address of UK website for careers connection:  
<http://www.connexions.gov.uk>;  
Copy of best practice statement for GTA

**Received:**  
**22 May 2003**

**NECA:**  
Industry skills needs in electrotechnology industry – National Industry Skills Initiative, Careers Program, Upskilling Program, Innovative Pathways Program, Electrocomms Contracting Program, Vision 2007

**Received:**  
**29 July 2003**

**Australian Business:** Ms Kathy Rankin,  
Learning Bonus Scheme and the bureaucratisation of the training process

**Hearing**

**Darwin, 11 June 2003**

**Received:**  
**24 July 2003**

**Department of Employment, Education and Training, NT:**  
Dr Peter Plummer, Chief Executive

Provide information on articulation, remote area training, funding of RTOs, literacy and numeracy and labour market analysis

- Hearing** **Adelaide, 12 June 2003**
- Received:** **Department of Further Education, Employment, Science and Technology:** Ms Sally Jeremic, Senior Policy Officer, Office of Vocational Education and Training  
**29 July 2003**
- Roundtable:** **Adelaide, 12 June 2003**
- Received:** **Professor Sue Richardson**, Institute of Labour Studies, Flinders University: provide study identifying the reasons for the high attrition rate of skilled employees  
**2 July 2003**
- Mark Cully and Richard Curtain**, *Reasons for New Apprentice Non Completion*, Final Report, 2001
- Hearing** **Canberra, 20 June 2003**
- Received:** **CAST CRC:** Mr Michael Lee, Manager Technology Transfer and Education, to provide graphical presentation of the proposed funding model for a nationally delivered TAFE program to be managed by CAST CRC, [EWRE p. 1177]  
**24 July 2003**
- Hearing** **Canberra, 15 August 2003**
- Received:** **Department of Education Science and Training:** 12 Questions on issues such as use of Centrelink career services, career and transition pilots, careers development, Cost of VET in schools, RPL, nursing shortages, Workplace English Language and Literacy program, RPL, national training system, medical practitioner, universities, models to estimate apprentice intakes intake rates over time, mature age workers, NISI implementation, plan for NISI, NISI and skill Councils, transition from school to work, early childhood program, skill shortages in child care, DEST information on supply  
**24 September 2003**
- Received:** **Australian National Training Authority:** Data on existing workers and New Apprenticeships; Graded assessment in WA; Withdrawal of Commonwealth funding of state ITABs; Role of new skill councils; report on industry advisory arrangements; forecasting of future skill needs; NISI and ANTA; Appointments to the Board; Consultative arrangements to ensure that the system meets needs of individuals; review of group training; Standards for assessors  
**26 September 2003**
- Received:** **Department of Employment and Workplace Relations:** Work for the dole outcomes; drought assistance; AWAs and apprentices; ASCO revision; Labour market trends; NISI; Labour market information; Job Network payments for training placements  
**21 October 2003**

