

## EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

### SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2006-2007 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING

**Outcome:** 1  
**Output Group:** 1.1 – Funding for schools

#### **DEST Question No. E991\_07**

Senator Carr asked on 14 February 2007, EWRE Hansard page 140.

#### **Question:**

Australian Technical Colleges

**Senator CARR**— Is it possible to get a table which tells me where the colleges are, the number of students, what the target numbers were, whether or not the students were enrolled as school based apprentices and the number that are school based apprentices.

**Ms Paul**— That is fine. I think we have provided some of that, but we can draw it all together.

**Senator CARR**— And what it has cost for each of those colleges to be established.

**Ms Paul**— Yes.

#### **Answer:**

*Australian Technical Colleges*

The attached table identifies for each Australian Technical College open in 2007:

- the location of campuses open in 2007
- the actual enrolment numbers for 2007 as at the census on 31 March 2007. Further enrolments are anticipated midyear and will be reported at the census on 31 October 2007
- the target student enrolment numbers for 2007
- the amount allocated to that College in its Funding Agreement with DEST. This is the total amount of the Funding Agreement, providing both capital and operational funding through to the end of 2009.

Colleges are required to place students into Australian School-based Apprenticeships as soon as possible after commencement of their programme so numbers of School-based Apprentices for 2007 will not be established until later this year.

<b>College</b>	<b>Locations</b>	<b>Actual Enrolments 2007</b>	<b>Target Enrolments 2007</b>	<b>Funding Agreement Total</b>
Hunter	Maitland Singleton Newcastle	137	150	\$19,999,440
Illawarra	Wollongong	35	50	\$19,596,243
Port Macquarie	Port Macquarie Taree	302	325	\$19,902,246
Western Sydney	Rouse Hill (interim)	20	25	\$1,302,004
Bendigo	Bendigo	68	65	\$12,912,700
Eastern Melbourne	Ringwood Ferntree Gully	86	180	\$15,141,777
Geelong	East Geelong	61	72	\$9,622,586
Gippsland	Bairnsdale Sale	46	58	\$11,983,377
Sunshine	North Sunshine	49	50	\$13,673,287
Warrnambool	Warrnambool Hamilton	60	60	\$15,934,845
Northern Tasmania	Launceston Burnie	120	175	\$16,674,000
Adelaide South	Christie Downs	100	105	\$15,955,005
Northern Adelaide	Elizabeth	104	105	\$15,783,245
Spencer Gulf and Outback	Port Augusta Whyalla Port Pirie	58	75	\$12,335,271
Perth South	Maddington Armadale	63	90	\$16,248,392
Pilbara	Port Headland Karratha		50	\$23,560,611
Darwin	Darwin	27	50	\$8,265,162
Gladstone	Gladstone	61	65	\$8,386,749
Gold Coast	Bundall	116	135	\$11,990,350
North Brisbane	Scarborough Fortitude Valley	143	150	\$19,778,185
North Queensland	Townsville	146	150	\$24,784,864