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## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT

Chair: Ms Amanda Rishworth MP Deputy Chair: Mr Rowan Ramsey MP

## Public hearing on Overseas Student Bills and the Higher Education Support Amendment Bill 2011

The House of Representatives Standing Committee on Education and Employment will talk to officials from the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations in relation to the following bills:

- Education Services for Overseas Students Legislation Amendment (Tuition Protection Service and Other Measures) Bill 2011;
- Education Services for Overseas Students (Registration Charges) Amendment (Tuition Protection Service) Bill 2011;
- Education Services for Overseas Students (TPS Levies) Bill 2011; and
- Higher Education Support Amendment Bill (No. 2) 2011.

The hearing will be held from 2pm to 3.30pm on Friday, 21 October in Committee Room 1R4, Parliament House, Canberra.

Proceedings are open to the public and will be webcast at: <a href="http://webcast.aph.gov.au/livebroadcasting/">http://webcast.aph.gov.au/livebroadcasting/</a>

The text of the bills can be accessed, together with the Explanatory Memorandum, and submissions to the inquiry on the Committee's website <u>http://www.aph.gov.au/ee.</u>

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