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Senator Carr, Kim provided in writing

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National Foundation Skills Strategy for Adults

Question

I understand a review of the National Strategy was planned for 2014, to be undertaken jointly by Australian Governments. Was this review undertaken? If so, what is its current status? Was it, or is it being, managed by the Department? Is the 2013 Strategy still considered current by COAG?

Answer

The South Australian Government is coordinating input from all jurisdictions to a review of the *National Foundation Skills Strategy for Adults*, and the review is expected to be progressed through the Council of Australian Governments (COAG) Industry and Skills Council in 2016.

Yes, the National Foundation Skills Strategy for Adults remains a COAG document.