

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

Agency - Tertiary Education Quality & Standards Agency (TEQSA)

Department of Education Question No. ED0622_15

Senator Carr asked on 22 October 2014 , Hansard page 56

Question

TEQSA: new applications since 13 May 2014

Senator KIM CARR: With regard to the applications for new providers, you gave us an answer to a question on notice at the Senate inquiry into the higher education bill. You told the committee that many inquiries and applications had been received from new providers in the past 12 months. That is from page 73 of the Hansard record. How many new applications have you received since the government budget announcement on 13 May?

Prof. Saunders: Again, I would have to take that on notice given the specific date that you have mentioned.

Answer

The Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA) has provided the following response.

TEQSA has received five applications for registration as a higher education provider since 13 May 2014.