

**Senate Committee: Education and Employment**

**QUESTION ON NOTICE  
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Senator O'Neill, Deborah asked on 20 October 2016, Proof Hansard page 91

***AITSL - Standards and procedures guidelines***

**Question**

Senator O'NEILL: Is there any documentation that you can provide me with regard to the matters that you have just outlined there verbally?

Mr Wardlaw: Absolutely. We can provide you with quite a number of public documents, but there are some significant ones that are very important. The standards and procedures guideline would be the one that goes to the heart of the reform.

Senator O'NEILL: If you could capture that in a form that easily identifies where you are up to, that would be most appreciated.

Mr Wardlaw: Absolutely.

**Answer**

*The Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL) has provided the following response.*

The attached documents show progress of the work in relation to the *Action Now: Classroom Ready Teachers* report:

1. *Action Now: Classroom Ready Teachers* - report of the Teacher Education Ministerial Advisory Group - released February 2015
2. Australian Government Response - released February 2015
3. *Action Now: Selection of entrants into initial teacher education: Guidelines* - endorsed by Education Council September 2015
4. *Accreditation of Initial Teacher Education in Australia: Standards and Procedures* - endorsed by Education Council December 2015
5. *Guidelines for the Accreditation of Initial Teacher Education Programs in Australia* - published June 2016
6. *Graduate to Proficient: Australian guidelines for teacher induction into the profession* - endorsed by Education Council July 2016