## **EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING**

## SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.4 – Higher Education Group

DEST Question No. E329\_06

Senator Carr provided in writing.

## Question:

- a) Has the Minister received any representations or correspondence regarding this review, since the publication of the review report? Please provide details, including a list of those individuals and organizations making representations.
- b) Has the Department received any similar representations? Please provide details.

## Answer:

DEST, Review of Indexation Arrangements in the Higher Education Sector

- a) The Australian Vice-Chancellors' Committee provided the Minister with a copy of its media release of 19 August 2005.
- b) The Department has not received any correspondence specifically regarding the review since the publication of the review report. Some Vice-Chancellors have expressed disappointment at the outcome of the review in meetings with the Department.