

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2009-10**

Outcome/Agency Outcome 3

DEEWR Question No. **EW579_10**

Senator Cash provided in writing.

Question

Totally Indigo alternative courses

- a) How many students from Totally Indigo have been found a place in a suitable alternative course?
- b) Please provide a list of these suitable alternative courses?
- c) How many students are still awaiting an offer of a suitable alternative course?
- d) In terms of the offers of a place in a suitable alternative course, how long did it take for these offers to occur?

Answer

Totally Indigo alternative courses

- a) 59.
- b) Courses offered were a Diploma of Hairdressing Salon Management; and a Certificate III in Hairdressing.
- c) None. All students who requested assistance have been offered suitable alternative courses by the ESOS Assurance Fund.
- d) The offers were sent to all affected students within 28 days from the default date of 21 August 2009.