

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING: 13 FEBRUARY 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(AE12/0196) Program 1.1: Migration and Visa

Senator Cash asked:

The role of the Education Visa Consultative Committee (EVCC) is stated as to provide a forum for members to: provide input and feedback on policy matters involving student visas; discuss emerging trends and issues in the international education sector that may impact on student visas; share information on operational initiatives regarding student visas. What input has been received to date from members and in relation to what issues?

Answer:

EVCC members have provided input to a range of issues. A summary of the key issues, discussion and action items are provided in the EVCC meeting Minutes of 26 October 2011. (Refer QoN 202)