

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF COMMERCE AND TECHNOLOGY — COURSES

1316. Hon SUE ELLERY to the Minister for Education:

I refer to students having their vocational certificate qualifications disqualified after the Australian Institute of Commerce and Technology was found to be delivering unauthorised courses.

- (1) How many students had their qualifications disqualified and please list the schools that had signed up with this registered training organisation to deliver the courses?
- (2) How much funding had schools paid for those courses?
- (3) Has the Department of Education been refunded the fees from this RTO?
- (4) Has the Australian Skills Quality Authority investigated the matter; and, if yes, what was the outcome?

Hon PETER COLLIER replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. I cannot get the information today. I will provide either a response or an update on Tuesday, 22 November 2016, and by “update” I mean that I cannot guarantee that it is going to be available. I will make an arrangement perhaps to provide the information to the honourable member post 22 November. Ideally, though, it will be 22 November.