

SOUTH REGIONAL TAFE — WORKSAFE NOTICE —  
PUBLIC SECTOR COMMISSIONER INVESTIGATION

748. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training:

I refer to the WorkSafe notice against South Regional TAFE in February 2017 and the Public Sector Commissioner's investigation into the culture and leadership of the Orana, and I ask:

- (a) has WorkSafe been notified of the outcome of the risk assessment of “psychosocial hazards in the workplace”;
- (b) how many recommendations did the Public Sector Commissioner make regarding the culture and leadership of Orana:
  - (i) how many of these recommendations have been fully implemented;
- (c) how many of recommendations did the Public Sector Commissioner make regarding the college as a whole:
  - (i) how many of these recommendations have been completely implemented;
- (d) has the implementation of the recommendations been audited;
- (e) have the findings and recommendations of this investigation been shared across the TAFE colleges; and
- (f) will the Minister please table the report on the investigation, redacted as appropriate to maintain the privacy of individual staff?

**Hon Sue Ellery replied:**

- (a) No. There was no requirement for South Regional TAFE to notify WorkSafe of the outcome of the risk assessment of psychosocial hazards in the workplace.
- (b) Four.
  - (i) Two.  
A third recommendation was partially implemented.
- (c) Nil.
  - (i) Not applicable.
- (d) Implementation is being overseen by the Governing Council of South Regional TAFE.
- (e) No.
- (f) No. As the Examination was undertaken using the Public Sector Commissioner's powers, any request for the report to be released should be directed to the Commissioner for his consideration.