



Inquiry into E-PET-077-25: Access to 11-12 ATAR language courses in 2026

Answer to question taken on notice

Asked by: Ms Laura Nuttall MLA

Addressed to: Ms Jackson

In relation to: Canberra Institute of Technology – cost benefit analysis

Hearing: 28 April 2026

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Answer Due: 14 May 2026

Ms Jackson took on notice the following question(s):

MISS NUTTALL: I appreciate you have spoken to this in the broad sense, but I am interested what cost-benefit analysis did CIT Solutions undertake before they decided to discontinue offering language courses?

Ms Jackson: I would have to say—well, we will have to take that on notice because we do not know what sort of cost-benefit analysis is there, but all I can say is the outcome is that it runs at a loss. Significant loss.

Canberra Institute of Technology: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

CIT Solutions Pty Ltd is currently in Members Voluntary liquidation and CIT is not aware of any cost benefit analysis on ATAR language courses by the company prior to the decision to wind the company up. CIT does understand that there was a strategic review of CIT Solutions wholistically to assess the feasibility of the company continuing prior to the decision to wind the company up.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Social Policy

Signature: 

Date: 12 May 2026

By the Canberra Institute of Technology, Chief Executive Officer, Dr Margot McNeill