

Hon Sue Ellery MLC Minister for Education and Training Leader of the Legislative Council

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HON MARK McGOWAN MLA PREMIER; TREASURER

TABLING OF AGENCIES 2020-21 ANNUAL REPORTS

Thank you for your letter dated 3 August 2021.

In accordance with section 65 of the *Financial Management Act 2006* (FMA), I wish to advise that I will not be able to table in Parliament the 2020-21 annual report for the Building and Construction Industry Training Fund (BCITF), and the School Curriculum and Standards Authority (SCSA) within the prescribed 90-day period after the end of the 2020-21 financial year, as required under section 64(1) of the FMA (i.e. by 28 September 2021).

The BCITF and SCSA 2020-21 annual reports and the opinions of the Auditor General will not be ready for tabling prior to 16 September 2021. The Office of the Auditor General has advised it will not complete the audit of SCSA's 2020-21 financial statements until 17 September 2021, with the issue of the audit opinion expected by 24 September 2021.

It is anticipated the annual reports will be tabled in both Houses of Parliament on the next sitting date of 12 October 2021.

I hereby request that the Treasurer cause the tabling of this notice in both Houses of Parliament no later than 16 September 2021.

HON SUE ELLERY MLC

MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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