



INQUIRY INTO THE MURRUMBIDGEE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

TERMS OF REFERENCE

The Legislative Council General Purpose Standing Committee No. 5 is calling for submissions to its Inquiry into the Murrumbidgee College of Agriculture. The terms of reference for the Inquiry are:

1. That General Purpose Standing Committee No. 5 inquire into and report on the closure of residential training at the Murrumbidgee College of Agriculture and in particular:
 - (a) the process by which the decision was made to close the residential training,
 - (b) the community and industry consultation that preceded the announcement of the proposal,
 - (c) the impact on the Leeton and Yanco communities and district, and
 - (d) the reasons why Murrumbidgee and Tocal Colleges have not been transferred to the Department of Education and Training.
2. That the Committee report by Thursday 23 September 2004.

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