

Dr JOHN KAYE: What were the student fees for those courses? Do you want to take that on notice and get back to us on that?

Mr HOLIHAN: Yes, I will take that on notice. There are different ways to enrol—for example, traineeship et cetera. So I will take that on notice.

Dr JOHN KAYE: If you could give us a more detailed answer in writing, that would be useful.

Certificate 11 Arboriculture - AHC20410 - \$1110 (first qualification) - \$1330 (second qualification) - \$1110 (traineeship)
\$160 (concession) - \$4350 (no entitlement)

Certificate 111 Arboriculture - AHC30810 - \$2170 (first qualification) - \$2600 (second qualification) - \$2170 (traineeship)
\$240 (concession) - \$8750 (no entitlement)

Diploma of Arboriculture AHC50510 - \$4250 (first qualification) - \$4780 (second qualification) - \$9770 (no entitlement)

The Hon. SCOTT FARLOW: Mr Holihan, I am interested in the arboriculture course and the decision of the North Coast Institute not to tender for the course. To your knowledge, had any private providers tendered for that course?

Mr HOLIHAN: I believe there is one in this area, yes.

The Hon. SCOTT FARLOW: Is that provider close by or is the course for the whole North Coast region?

Mr HOLIHAN: I do not know, but I can take that on notice. I believe it was a business based in South East Queensland.

I can only answer the question using the tools available to me. According to the training.gov Website there is currently no registered training authorities delivering Arboriculture on the North Coast of NSW.