## Long-Term Reform of Training Products

Consultation with members of the industry representative bodies, 2016

**Project background:**

The COAG Industry and Skills Council (CISC) agreed on 1 April 2016 to commence further longer term work to ensure that training products remain relevant in the future and support skills development as technology, jobs and industries change.

To this end, Ministers asked senior officials (through the Skills Senior Officials Network) to develop a work program for CISC consideration later in 2016. A national training product reform group provides oversight of this work

We are interested in your views on the effectiveness of Training Products in the vocational training system and how we might make them more effective into the long-term future, and in particular in your responses to four sets of related questions.

1. Which training products do you work with most closely? Do you find that they work well in your industry? Why? Why not?
2. Do you think that graduates of the VET system have solid skills in areas including literacy and numeracy, digital literacy and group working?

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1. Do you think that employers understand the skills a graduate from a qualification has? Why? Why not?
2. Is it easy enough for prospective students to understand the VET system, what is on offer, and what could assist their careers? Why? Why not?

If you wish, you can provide your personal details for further follow-up.

State: ……………………..  
Respondent’s organisational position: …………………………………………………………………………………………..

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