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INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING RECEIVES BOOST

The Member for Ipswich Rachel Nolan today welcomed \$21,000 in funding through the Queensland Education and Training International Funding Program for the Ipswich Region Education and Training Cluster Inc.

The Queensland Education and Training International Funding Program is an industry development activity which initially was designed to progress the Queensland Government objective of increasing international education and training exports to \$1 billion by the end of 2006.

“This objective has now been achieved and the funding program continues to strengthen Queensland’s international education and training industry,” Ms Nolan said.

Ipswich Region Education and Training Cluster Inc was successful in obtaining \$21,000 (not including GST) worth of funding for:

- event registration at an education and training promotional event in Korea;
- event registration at and education and training promotional event in Hong Kong;
- convening of international student focus groups; and an
- Administrative Officer position for the cluster.

“This money will provide a great deal of benefit for the international education and training industry in Ipswich and we should be very proud to be a part of this exciting initiative.”