

## Delegate Approval of Determination No. 5890

<b>Outcome</b>	41 Other Grants	<b>Program Year</b>	2026
<b>Program</b>	Equality	<b>Sub Program</b>	The Indigenous, Regional and Low Socio-Economic Status Attainment Fund
<b>Component</b>	National Priorities Pool Program	<b>Section</b>	S41-20

### Confirmation of approval of grants and of determination of grant amounts in respect of grants under Part 2-3 of the Act (subsection 41-10(1), item 1 – National Priorities Pool Program– 2026)

I, BRETT NORDSTROM, CONFIRM that:

(a) as a delegate of the Minister for the purposes of section 41-20 of the Act, I have approved a grant (a "Grant") to each Higher Education Provider ("HEP") listed in Column 1 of the table below (the "Table") for the purpose specified in item 1 of the table in subsection 41-10(1) of the Act; and

(b) as a delegate of the Minister for the purposes of paragraph 41-30(b) of the Act, I have determined that the amount of each HEP's Grant is the amount shown in Column 4 of the row of the Table in which the HEP's name appears.

<i>Column 1</i> <i>State/Territory Institution</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amounts of Financial Assistance</i>	<i>Column 3</i> <i>Variation</i>	<i>Column 4</i> <i>Revised Amounts of Financial Assistance</i>
<b>NSW Amount (excludes GST)</b>			
<b>The University of Newcastle</b>			
National Fee-Free Uni Ready Best Practice Guide	272,416	0	272,416
<b>WA Amount (excludes GST)</b>			
<b>Curtin University of Technology</b>			
ACSES 2022	0	2,000,000	2,000,000
<b>TAS Amount (excludes GST)</b>			
<b>University of Tasmania</b>			

ADCET	150,000	0	150,000
<b>NT Amount (excludes GST)</b>			
<b>Charles Darwin University</b>			
CtG: Investing in First Nation Education	1,250,000	1,250,000	2,500,000
<b>TOTAL Australia</b>			
	1,672,416	3,250,000	4,922,416

**Variation Reason**

Two payments for the May 2026 payrun:

Curtin University: \$2,000,000 (EC26-001365, Progress report 7 for the ACSES project)

Charles Darwin University: \$1,250,000 (EC26-001397, progress report 2 for Closing the gap project)

**Approved by BRETT NORDSTROM on 05 May 2026 at 12:24:30**

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