



HIGHER EDUCATION SUPPORT ACT 2003

Notice under subclause 24(1) of Schedule 1A of HESA

I, David Fintan, Branch Manager, VET Student Loans, Department of Education and Training, and a delegate of the Minister for Education and Training under subsection 238-5(1)(b) of the *Higher Education Support Act 2003* (HESA) for the purposes of subclause 24(1) of Schedule 1A to HESA:

1. Require you to give to me data for the 2018 VET FEE-HELP Data Collection, in accordance with the requirements set out in the *2018 VET Data Requirements* which can be accessed at:
http://heimshelp.education.gov.au/sites/heimshelp/2018_data_requirements/2018vet/pages/vet-2018.
2. Under subclause 24(1) of Schedule 1A to HESA, I approve the form in which you must give all the data required by this Notice to me as electronic data files which must be lodged by you via the following department submission methods:
 - the Higher Education Client Assistance Tool (HEPCAT)
 - a web service channel; and/or
 - the department web browser
3. Require approved course providers to lodge a Statutory Declaration, executed by either the Chief Executive Officer or Chief Finance Officer, in the HELP IT System (HITS) at the time of reporting. The required Statutory Declaration is to be accessed in HITS.

The documents for the above mentioned submission methods are available for download at:

<http://heimshelp.education.gov.au/sites/heimshelp/resources/pages/systems-and-access>.

You are required to check for any changes which may, from time to time, be made to the data requirements. All changes to the requirements for the VET FEE-HELP Data Collection will be noted in the *2018 VET Data Requirements and Change Control document*.

A summary of the changes will also be included in the HEIMS Data Collections Newsletters available from:

<http://heimshelp.education.gov.au/sites/heimshelp/news/pages/heimshelp-news>.

David Fintan

7 November 2017