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MEDIA RELEASE

Cool Education Funding

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Independent Member for Tamworth Peter Draper has welcomed \$100,000 in NSW Government funding to install air-conditioning at Tamworth High School.

The announcement follows lobbying by Mr Draper on behalf of students and teachers at Tamworth High School.

“This is great news for Tamworth High School. Last summer, students and teachers fainted at the school because it was simply too hot. This is a matter of health and safety,” Mr Draper said.

Minister for Education Andrew Refshauge has announced \$10.5million in funding to air-condition schools around NSW.

“This \$100,000 will be used to install air-conditioning in eight classrooms at Tamworth High School. The work should be completed by the start of the 2004 school year.”

“I thank the Minister for Education for responding to the concerns of students and teachers in the electorate of Tamworth.”

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