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ASSISTANCE FOR SOCIAL WORKERS

The Australian Government will give an extra \$315,000 for the training of social workers over the next three years. Cabinet decided today that \$240,000 would be provided for a training programme through the University of Melbourne, and \$75,000 for training through the University of Sydney. The additional allocations will cover the years 1973, 1974 and 1975.

Cabinet decided to give further consideration to a submission from Flinders University regarding the contricution of special assistance to students studying social work.

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