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136	Faulkner	19/11/2004	Administration—Advertising campaigns	11/02/2005	07/03/2005	174	84
177	Murray	09/12/2004	Employment—Australian Workplace Agreements	11/02/2005	07/03/2005	185	64
200	O’Brien	20/12/2004	Administration—Primary Energy Limited—Funding	03/02/2005	09/02/2005	171	45
257	O’Brien	23/12/2004	Administration—Special Employee Entitlement Scheme for Ansett Group Employees	22/03/2005	10/05/2005	231	89
258	O’Brien	23/12/2004	Administration—Special Employee Entitlement Scheme for Ansett Group Employees—Community standard	11/02/2005	07/03/2005	194	50
264	O’Brien	23/12/2004	Administration—Ansett employees—Outstanding entitlements	10/02/2005	10/02/2005	160	49
444	Mason	10/03/2005	Administration—Sick leave entitlements—Government departments	30/03/2005	10/05/2005	292	20
526	Ludwig	11/04/2005	Law and Justice—Fraud—Forged documents	16/05/2005	14/06/2005	202	35
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661	Evans	04/05/2005	Administration—Salaries—APS level 1 to 6 officers and equivalent staff employed	15/09/2005	04/10/2005	110	134
692	Evans	04/05/2005	Administration—Overseas travel and air charters	04/07/2005	09/08/2005	135	61
724	Evans	04/05/2005	Administration—Overseas travel and air charters	15/08/2005	16/08/2005	172	103
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755	Evans	04/05/2005	Administration—Advertising campaigns	17/03/2006	27/03/2006	174	317
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882	Evans	06/05/2005	Administration—Travel—Private or commercially-sponsored	08/09/2005	08/09/2005	159	125
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996	O’Brien	24/06/2005	Administration—Grants or other payments to business organisations and/or associations	01/11/2005	07/11/2005	177	130
1021	Murray	08/07/2005	Workplace Relations—Estimates hearings—Legislation	06/09/2005	07/09/2005	141	60
1037	Forshaw	21/07/2005	Workplace Relations—Workplace laws—Proposed changes				816
1043	Nettle	02/08/2005	Workplace Relations—Green Corps—Public events and publicity guidelines	01/09/2005	05/09/2005	277	30
1050	Bishop	04/08/2005	Workplace Relations—Australian Defence Force—Comcare investigations into alleged bullying	23/08/2005	05/09/2005	278	19
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1243	Marshall	26/09/2005	Administration—Workplace relations legislation—Contracts with legal firms for development or drafting work	31/01/2007	07/02/2007	146	492
1244	Evans	26/09/2005	Employment—Disability Support Pensions—Western Australian recipients	20/01/2006	07/02/2006	234	116
1376	Evans	24/11/2005	Administration—Centrelink-truancy trial—Halls Creek, Western Australia	17/03/2006	27/03/2006	187	113
1378	Evans	24/11/2005	Administration—COAG trial—Handover to the Office of Indigenous Policy Coordination	27/03/2006	29/03/2006	196	123
1380	Evans	24/11/2005	Administration—Indigenous Economic Development Strategy—Local Jobs for Local People initiative	31/01/2006	08/02/2006	256	68
1381	Evans	24/11/2005	Administration—Indigenous Economic Development Strategy—Local Jobs for Local People initiative	01/02/2006	08/02/2006	257	69
1391	Evans	24/11/2005	Administration—Cape York Indigenous Employment Strategy	31/01/2006	09/02/2006	193	68
1398	Evans	29/11/2005	Administration—Indigenous Business Australia—Business finance loans	27/01/2006	09/02/2006	198	59
1399	Evans	29/11/2005	Administration—Indigenous Business Australia—Staff numbers	31/01/2006	09/02/2006	201	63
1415	Evans	02/12/2005	Employment—Indigenous Australians—Job Network placements	20/04/2006	09/05/2006	172	139
1416	Evans	02/12/2005	Employment—Indigenous Australians—Wage assistance	13/02/2006	28/02/2006	109	73
1417	Evans	02/12/2005	Employment—Indigenous Australians	27/01/2006	09/02/2006	208	56
1418	Evans	02/12/2005	Employment—Employment initiatives—Welfare to Work package	26/05/2006	13/06/2006	226	175
1428	Wong	06/12/2005	Workplace Relations—Industrial relations changes—Government meetings with constituents	31/01/2006	09/02/2006	213	56
1429	Evans	07/12/2005	Administration—Indigenous Business Australia—Hillsong Emerge	09/02/2006	28/02/2006	112	64
1430	Evans	07/12/2005	Administration—Indigenous Business Australia—First Australians Business Ltd	09/02/2006	28/02/2006	115	64
1431	Evans	07/12/2005	Administration—Indigenous Business Australia—Hillsong Emerge	09/02/2006 <i>Amended answer</i>			64
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1432	Evans	07/12/2005	Administration—Indigenous Business Australia—First Australians Business Ltd	09/02/2006	28/02/2006	121	64
1461	O'Brien	05/01/2006	Administration—Special Employee Entitlement Scheme for Ansett Group Employees	17/02/2006	28/02/2006	132	43
1480	O'Brien	18/01/2006	Workplace Relations—Employee entitlements—Air New Zealand	10/08/2006	15/08/2006	112	204
1500	O'Brien	18/01/2006	Administration—Program and/or grant funding—Federal electorate of Bass	10/04/2006	09/05/2006	192	82
1530	O'Brien	18/01/2006	Administration—Funding—City View Christian Church Inc.	15/06/2006	15/06/2006	196	148
1665	Evans	28/03/2006	Employment—Hillsong Emerge Pty Ltd	15/06/2006	15/06/2006	198	79
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1894	Milne	06/06/2006	Administration—Budget 2006-2007—Post-Budget functions	09/11/2006	09/11/2006	154	156
1956	O'Brien	08/06/2006	Administration—Freedom of information requests	18/08/2006	04/09/2006	175	71
1976	O'Brien	08/06/2006	Administration—Compensation for Detriment Caused by Defective Administration Scheme	10/08/2006	15/08/2006	118	63
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2106	Evans	21/06/2006	Employment Services—Community Development Employment Projects—Indigenous communities	10/08/2006	15/08/2006	119	50
2113	Evans	23/06/2006	Employment—Indigenous Employment Centres	18/09/2006	09/10/2006	156	87
2121	Allison	30/06/2006	Employment—Australia Post—Victorian mail centres	29/08/2006	06/09/2006	158	60
2169	O'Brien	14/07/2006	Administration—Training—Senate estimates hearings	12/09/2006	13/09/2006	146	60
2219	O'Brien	14/07/2006	Administration—Discretionary grants programs	10/08/2006	15/08/2006	124	27
2238	Crossin	19/07/2006	Employment—Community Development Employment Project—South Barkly Aboriginal Corporation	12/09/2006	13/09/2006	147	55
2257	Wong	26/07/2006	Workplace Relations—Australian Workplace Agreements—Red meat processing sector	16/08/2006	17/08/2006	183	21
2315	Wong	08/08/2006	Industrial Relations—Australian Council of Trade Unions' advertisements	16/10/2006	16/10/2006	137	69
2321	Wong	08/08/2006	Industrial Relations—Australian Council of Trade Unions' advertisements	16/10/2006	16/10/2006	137	69
2366	O'Brien	11/08/2006	Administration—Discretionary grants programs	27/10/2006	08/11/2006	158	77
2411	B. Brown	17/08/2006	Administration—Meetings—Wilderness Society	12/09/2006	13/09/2006	153	26
2429	Nettle	24/08/2006	Workplace Relations—Australian Workplace Agreements	08/09/2006	11/09/2006	152	15
2439	Evans	25/08/2006	Employment Services—Job Network—Indigenous employment	04/10/2006	11/10/2006	156	40
2454	Evans	28/08/2006	Immigration—'Migration occupations in demand' list	27/09/2006	11/10/2006	163	30
2459	Evans	31/08/2006	Employment—Job placements—Incident where person was lost at sea	11/10/2006	12/10/2006	210	41
2515	Allison	27/09/2006	Employment—Unemployed Australians—Learning disabilities	10/01/2007	06/02/2007	172	105
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2613	Evans	06/11/2006	Workplace Relations—Australian Building and Construction Commissioner	14/12/2006	06/02/2007	191	38
2643	O'Brien	09/11/2006	Administration—Internal costing or cost recovery systems				340
2768	Crossin	15/11/2006	Indigenous Australians—Outback Stores Initiative				334
2828	B. Brown	23/11/2006	Workplace Relations—WorkChoices	31/01/2007	08/02/2007	167	69
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