

Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2010-2011**

Outcome 4 - Employment & Participation Policy

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Senator Payne asked on 22/10/2010, Hansard page 25.

Question

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Senator PAYNE—Are the 1,008 that are registered with employment service providers currently in the active job market? Is that the terminology we would be using? Ms Wood—Yes. They are in the employment services system receiving support to build their skills and find employment. Senator PAYNE—How are they spread across the states and territories? Ms Wood—I do not have that information with me, but we could get it for you. Senator PAYNE—Could you take that on notice please. Ms Wood—Yes. Senator PAYNE—For those 1,008 people I would be interested to know which particular providers are involved in that support process. Ms Wood—Yes. Mr Griew—These are ex-CDEP clients in outer regional areas. That is the way we are talking about it. It is not in the very remote areas. Senator PAYNE—No, I understand. Senator SIEWERT—When you are taking that on notice can you provide a breakdown of gender. Or do you have that now? Ms Wood—No, I do not have that now. Senator SIEWERT—If you could provide that it would be good. Ms Wood—Yes.

Answer

Revised data for 23 September 2010 indicate 1,029 of the 1,964 former CDEP participants were registered with Job Services Australia. The state and gender breakdown of the former CDEP participants registered with Job Services Australia is shown in the table below.

Job Services Australia				
State	Job seekers			Total %
	Male	Female	Total	
NSW	374	129	503	48.9%
QLD	236	131	367	35.7%
SA	17	12	29	2.8%
VIC	5	1	6	0.6%
WA	85	39	124	12.1%
Total	717	312	1,029	100%

A total of 58 providers were assisting the 1,029 former CDEP participants registered with Job Services Australia providers, as shown in the table below.

Job Services Australia provider
A4e Australia
Aboriginal Connections Employment Services
ACET Australia
Adult Multicultural Education Services (AMES)
AtWork Australia
Auswide Projects
Baptist Care (SA) Inc
BEST Employment Limited
Break Thru People Solutions
Buderoo Employment And Training
Bunjum Aboriginal Co-operative Ltd
Campbell Page
CatholicCare
Central Queensland Indigenous Development Ltd
Central West Community College
Communicare Inc.
Community Bridging Services Jobnet Employment Prog
Community First
Corp Trustees Roman Catholic Archdiocese Brisbane
CVGT Employment and Training Specialists
Employment Innovations Victoria Pty Ltd
Employment Services Queensland
Enterprise & Training Company
First Sun Employment
Gannambarra Limited
Gemsail Pty Ltd
Industry Education Networking Pty Ltd
Job Futures Ltd
Job Prospects
Jobfind Centre
Joblink Plus
Jobs Australia
MADEC Australia
Marrickville Community Training Centre Inc
MAX Employment
Mission Australia Employment Services
Murdi Paaki Regional Enterprise Corporation Ltd
Neato Employment Services
Ngurrala Aboriginal Corporation
NORTEC Job Services
NOW Employment Services/Peedac Pty Ltd
OEC Employment
Professional Vocational Services Pty Ltd
PVS Workfind

Job Services Australia provider
Quality Innovation Training and Employment
Regional Training Services / Skill Hire Pty Ltd
Sarina Russo Jobs Access (Australia) Pty Ltd
Summit Employment and Training
Sureway Employment and Training
Teldraw Pty Ltd
The ORS Group
The Salvation Army (VIC) Property Trust
TIDE Ltd
Tursa Employment & Training
UCA Assembly Limited
Workskil
Workways Australia Limited
WRAP Employment Centre

In addition those people registered with Job Services Australia, 38 of the former CDEP participants were being assisted by Disability Employment Services providers. The state and gender breakdown of the former CDEP participants registered with Disability Employment Services providers is shown in the table below.

Disability Employment Services				
State	Job seekers			Total %
	Male	Female	Total	
NSW	20	7	27	71%
QLD	6	1	7	18%
SA	1		1	3%
WA	2	1	3	8%
Total	29	9	38	100%

A total of 23 Disability Employment Services providers were assisting the 38 former CDEP participants, as shown in the table below.

Disability Employment Services provider
Ability Options Ltd
Advanced Personnel Management
Artius
BEST Employment Limited
Break Thru People Solutions
Care Goondiwindi Association Inc
Catholic Parish of St Agnes Port Macquarie
Coffs Harbour Employment Support Service Inc
CRS Australia
Dalflin Employment Service
Direct Employment Services Limited
Finding Workable Solutions
Hedland Personnel Inc
Hotham Personnel Incorporated

Disability Employment Services provider
Interact Injury Management Pty Limited
Key Employment
Network Employment and Training Solutions
On-Q Human Resources Limited
Peel Valley Training & Employment
Red Cross Employment Services
Wesley Mission
Workability Personnel CET & PS Inc
Worklink Employment Support Group Inc