

## Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

### QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016

#### Outcome 1 - Employment

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000059

Senator McLucas asked on 11 February 2016 on proof Hansard page 73

#### Question

##### Labour Market Information Portal - Townsville

Senator McLUCAS: No, I am talking about the analysis of needs in the area—like a skills audit—to find out where there are opportunities that might be outside refining.

Ms Leon: That is right.

Mr Hehir: We have a team that does the labour market analysis broadly, including on a regional basis. They provide that information to the jobactive providers through our Labour Market Information Portal. I am sure we can get the latest copy of what is on the labour market information portal for Townsville.

#### Answer

General labour market information for Townsville, including the unemployment rate, population statistics and employment by industry and occupation, is available from the Labour Force Region (SA4) channel of the Labour Market Information Portal:  
[http://lmip.gov.au/default.aspx?LMIP/LFR\\_SAFOUR/QLD/Townsville](http://lmip.gov.au/default.aspx?LMIP/LFR_SAFOUR/QLD/Townsville)

Industry employment projections for the five years to November 2019 are available for Townsville from the Employment Projections channel of the Labour Market Information Portal (from the *Regional projections – interactive tool (XLSM)* file):  
<http://lmip.gov.au/default.aspx?LMIP/EmploymentProjections>

Internet Vacancy Index (IVI) data, which are based on a count of online job advertisements newly lodged on SEEK, CareerOne and Australian JobSearch during the month, are available for the Far North Queensland region (which encompasses Townsville) from the Vacancy Report channel of the Labour Market Information Portal (from the *IVI Regional Data – May 2010 onwards (XLSX)* file):  
<http://lmip.gov.au/default.aspx?LMIP/VacancyReport>