

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

Agency - Fair Work Ombudsman

Department of Employment Question No. EM0161_15

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

FWO - Board appointments

"1. Please detail any board appointments made from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date. 2. What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio? 3. Does the department have a gender ratio target and/or any other policy intended to increase the participation rate of women on boards? If yes, please specify what the target and policy is for each board. 4. Please specify when these gender ratio or participation policies were put in place. 5. Has there been any change to this ratio or policy since September 7, 2013? If yes, please detail."

Answer

The Fair Work Ombudsman is not responsible for making appointments to any board.