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Question

Commencement date for Post Implementation Review of the Fair Work Amendment (Textile, Clothing and Footwear Industry) Act 2012

Senator LINES: On 28 March, Senator Abetz announced that the required Post-implementation Review of the Fair Work Amendment (Textile, Clothing and Footwear Industry) Act 2012 would begin on 1 April. Ms Parker: Yes, I think that is right. I will check the dates.

Answer

Senator the Hon. Eric Abetz, Minister for Employment, announced in a media release on 28 March 2014 that the Post-implementation Review of the *Fair Work Amendment (Textile, Clothing and Footwear Industry Act 2012* would begin on 1 April 2014.

A dedicated webpage on the Department of Employment's website announcing the review and its terms of reference also went live on 28 March 2014 – www.employment.gov.au/review-textile-clothing-and-footwear-industry-provisions-fair-work-laws