Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014-2015

Agency - Fair Work Commission

Department of Employment Question No. EM1196_15

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

FWC - Boards

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014 for each board in the portfolio or agencies:

- 1. how often has each board met, break down by board name;
- 2. what travel expenses have been incurred;
- 3. what has been the average attendance at board meetings;
- 4. List each member's attendance at meetings;
- 5. how does the board deal with conflict of interest;
- 6. what conflicts of interest have been registered;
- 7. what remuneration has been provided to board members;
- 8. how does the board dismiss board members who do not meet attendance standards?
- 9. Have any requests been made to ministers to dismiss board members?
- 10. Please list board members who have attended less than 51% of meetings
- 11. What have been the catering costs for the board meetings held during this period? Please break down the cost list.

Answer

The Fair Work Commission does not have boards.