

**Senate Committee: Education and Employment**

**QUESTION ON NOTICE  
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2016 - 2017**

**Outcome: Skills and Training**

**Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ16-001056**

Senator Cameron, Doug provided in writing.

***Trade Support Loans - numbers***

**Question**

How many Trade Support Loans (TSLs) have been taken out? Please provide this data by the number of apprentices taking out a loan in each year of the program; by gender; by occupation; by industry; by age of apprentice at the commencement of the loan; by location (such as rural, remote and metropolitan); and by electorate.

**Answer**

**Attachment A** is a breakdown of trade support loan applications by financial year for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 September 2016.

**Attachment B** is a breakdown of trade support loan applications by financial year by gender for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 September 2016.

**Attachment C** is a breakdown of trade support loan applications by financial year by occupation (Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO)) for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 September 2016.

**Attachment D** is a breakdown of trade support loan applications by financial year by employer industry (Australian and New Zealand Standard Industry Classification (ANZSIC)) for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 September 2016.

**Attachment E** is a breakdown of trade support loan applications by financial year by age of apprentice at the commencement of the loan for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 September 2016.

**Attachment F** is a breakdown of trade support loan applications by financial year by remoteness for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 September 2016.

**Attachment G** is a breakdown of trade support loan applications by financial year by electorate for the period 1 July 2015 to 30 September 2016.

This data is sourced from departmental records. This data is current at 26 October 2016.