Senate Economics Legislation Committee

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Budget Estimates 2004-05, (4 June)

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Topic: Surcharge collections

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Senator Sherry asked:

We have very precise related revenue for each year. For the measures you have gone through, what is the detail of the revenue from those areas?...Yes, take next year as an example.

Mr Carmody—Taking next year as an example, on employer obligations excluding the surcharge, there is collections revenue of \$85 million. For the small to medium enterprises it is \$10 million, although that rises to \$35 million to \$45 million because there is a period of implementation. Again, I think the bulk of that revenue is at the higher end of that market. For the individuals market—that is, profiling agents, capital gains tax, rental deductions et cetera—to be quite precise, there is \$12.4 million in the initial year. Again, that rises more substantially in later years as you are implementing it. The surcharge next year is \$36 million. That is cash collections.

Senator SHERRY—Do you have the figures for the other years? *Mr Carmody*—*Yes*.

Senator SHERRY—I do not want them verbally, but can you give a copy to the committee?

Mr Carmody—I have them in other papers, but we can get a copy quickly.

Answer: see attached table

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Taxation and Superannuation Compliance Challenges - Summary

Cash Collections	Financial Year			
	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
	\$'m	\$'m	\$'m	\$'m
Employer Obligations	85.0	100.0	95.0	90.0
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Small to Medium Enterprises	10.0	35.0	45.0	55.0
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Individuals Market for Capital Gains Tax, Rental Deductions, High Risk Refunds and				
Profiling Agents	12.4	26.6	32.9	36.0
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Superannuation Surcharge	36.0	47.0	27.0	22.0

Non tax revenue	Financial Year				
	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	
	\$'m	\$'m	\$'m	\$'m	
Superannuation Guarantee	15.0	35.0	30.0	30.0	