## **Senate Economics Legislation Committee**

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Industry, Tourism and Resources Portfolio Budget Estimates 2005-2006, 30-31 May 2005

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, TOURISM AND RESOURCES

**OUTCOME/OUTPUT:** Outcome 1, Output 1.2

TOPIC: REGULATION REDUCTION INCENTIVE FUND

**REFERENCE:** HANSARD 30/05/05, PAGES E42-53

## **QUESTION No.9**

(Hansard 30/05/05, p.E42)

## Senator Lundy asked about:

Can you provide details of specific meetings between either the Minister or the Department and small business industry associations on the Regulation Reduction Incentive Fund?

#### **ANSWER**

The following meetings were either convened by the Department around the issue of the Regulation Reduction Incentive Fund or had this issue on the agenda:

Date	Meeting With	
30 November 2004	Micro and Home-Based Business Association	
1 December 2004	Annette Sym, Small Business Council Member	
1 December 2004	Australian Industry Group	
1 December 2004	Small business operator	
1 December 2004	Small business operator	
1 December 2004	Home-based business operator	
2 December 2004	Kim Tunbridge, Chair Small Business Council	
2 December 2004	Blacktown Council	
2 December 2004	Business Advisory Services	
3 December 2004	Penrith HBB Network, Penrith Valley Economic Development Corporation	
3 December 2004	Australian Industry Group	
5 December 2004	New South Wales Chamber of Commerce	
7 December 2004	Orana Business Enterprise Centre	
7 December 2004	Councillor, Dubbo Council	
8 December 2004	Tasmanian State Government	
9 December 2004	Council of Small Business Associations of Australia (COSBOA)	
10 December 2004	Australian Industry Group (Qld)	
10 December 2004	Brisbane City Council, South East Queensland Regional Organisation of	
	Councils, Housing Industry Association	
13 December 2004	BizGate (SA State Government)	
14 December 2004	Small Business Development Corporation (WA State Government)	
15 December 2004	City of Whittlesea	
16 December 2004	Housing Industry Association	
17 December 2004	Queensland Smart Licence (State Government)	
20 December 2004	Armidale Dumaresq Council, Walcha Council, Uralla Shire Council, Guyra	
	Shire Council	
11 January 2005	Armidale Dumaresq Council, Walcha Council, Uralla Shire Council, Guyra	
	Shire Council	
24 January 2005	ACT Government	
1 February 2005	Brisbane City Council	
4 February 2005	BizGate, Adelaide City Council, District Council of Grant	
8 February 2005	Australian Local Government Association	
11 February 2005	ACT Government	
17 February 2005	District Council of Grant	

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Date	Meeting With	
21 February 2005	Armidale Dumaresq Council	
24 February 2005	Hobart City Council	
28 February 2005	Marion City Council	
1 March 2005	Adelaide City Council	
1 March 2005	Southern Business Enterprise Centre	
1 March 2005	Group discussion of home-based business operators	
1 March 2005	Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry	
2 March 2005	SA Local Government Association	
3 March 2005	Palmerston City Council	
7 & 9 March 2005	Casey City Council	
9 March 2005	Micro and Home-Based Business Network	
9 March 2005	Business Council of Australia	
10 March 2005	Chisholm Institute	
14 March 2005	Real Estate Institute of Australia	
14 March 2005	Ku-Ring-Gai City Council	
16 March 2005	City of Swan, City of Wanneroo	
29 March 2005	Brisbane City Council	
4 April 2005	Perth Area Consultative Committee	
5 April 2005	Edith Cowan University	
5 April 2005	Wanneroo City Council	
11 April 2005	Pittwater Council	
13 April 2005	Small Business Coalition	
14 April 2005	April 2005 City of Whittlesea, Wellington Shire Council, Surf Coast Shire Council,	
	Manningham City Council, Murrindindi Shire Council, City of Casey	
14 April 2005	Pittwater Council	
2 May 2005	Adelaide City Council	
4 May 2005	Australian Local Government Association	
5 May 2005	Master Builders Association	
9 May 2005	ACT Government	
12 May 2005	City of Whittlesea, Wellington Shire Council, Surf Coast Shire Council,	
	Manningham City Council, Murrindindi Shire Council, City of Casey	
13 May 2005	ATO Small Business Advisory Group	
18 May 2005	Redland Shire Council	
26 May 2005	Queensland Local Government Association	

The Department has also conducted Information Seminars for Local Government Authorities in the following locations:

Date	Location
12 July 2005	Albury
13 July 2005	Melbourne
14 July 2005	Hobart
19 July 2005	Darwin
20 July 2005	Brisbane
20 July 2005	Mt Gambier
21 July 2005	Townsville
22 July 2005	Canberra
26 July 2005	Sydney
27 July 2005	Perth
27 July 2005	Coffs Harbour
28 July 2005	Adelaide