

**Senate Economics Legislation Committee**  
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Industry, Tourism and Resources Portfolio  
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**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:** DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, TOURISM AND RESOURCES  
**TOPIC:** EMPLOYMENT IMPACTS OF MAMMALIAN CELL PRODUCTION FACILITY  
**REFERENCE:** HANSARD 29/05/06, PAGE E31

**QUESTION No.BI-18**  
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**Senator Campbell** asked about:

What are the likely employment impacts of the establishment of the small-scale mammalian cell production facility?

**ANSWER**

The scoping work commissioned by the Department estimates that around 50 additional direct jobs would be created initially with the establishment of a greenfield facility in the order of 500 to 1000 litres capacity. However, decisions on the scope of the facility and whether it would be a greenfield or brownfield facility would be left to applicants to determine in their consideration of what would be commercially feasible.