

**SENATE EMPLOYMENT, WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND EDUCATION
LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

**2004-2005 ADDITIONAL SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
17 FEBRUARY 2005**

EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Outcome 2: Higher productivity, higher pay workplace

Output Group 2.1: Workplace relations policy and analysis

Output 2.1.2: Workplace relations legislation development

Question Number: W182-05

Question:

Senator Collins asked at *Hansard* page 25:

What have been the trends in staffing figures for WRL in the 8 years?

Answer:

Average staffing levels in the Workplace Relations Legal Group are as follows:

Financial Year	Average Staffing Level (ASL)
2003-04	27.78
2004-05 (Up to 17/2/2005)	30.01

Prior to the 2003-04 financial year the Workplace Relations Legal Group did not exist as a separate group. Average staffing levels are not readily available before this date.