

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

**2005-2006 ADDITIONAL SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
16 FEBRUARY 2006
EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO**

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

INDIGENOUS BUSINESS AUSTRALIA

Outcome 1: Stimulating the economic advancement of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island peoples

Output 1.3: Business Development and Assistance

Question Number: W848-06

Question:

Senator McDonald asked at *Hansard* page 59: Of the 38 business loans approved this financial year, please provide a breakdown providing information on amounts and type of business activity.

Answer:

| Loan | Purpose/type of business activity |
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| 53,000.00 | Expansion into eel farming on existing aquaculture farm in QLD |
| 168,000.00 | Tourism facility in SA, expand existing business with additional accommodation units, motor vehicle & working capital |
| 403,000.00 | Fruit farm & cattle enterprise in QLD |
| 100,000.00 | Purchase the Bute Tannery in SA. |
| 40,000.00 | Purchase a clothing store QLD |
| 35,000.00 | Establish a swimming pool repair business in QLD |
| 30,000.00 | Establish Physiotherapy & Pilates Practice in Sydney |
| 29,000.00 | Establish a nursery around collection of Native plants from development sites in WA |
| 30,000.00 | Purchase existing take-away food business in NSW |
| 255,000.00 | Purchase existing hardware store QLD |
| 900,000.00 | Purchase leasehold of Caravan Park in NSW |
| 22,000.00 | Additional vehicle for grader hire business WA |
| 10,713.00 | Establish Modelling & personal grooming business WA |
| 22,948.00 | Establish a mobile locksmith QLD |
| 38,000.00 | Establish high performance exhaust shop QLD |
| 75,000.00 | Establish Fast Food Business QLD |
| 32,000.00 | Establish a contract business with Yellow Taxi Trucks QLD |

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| 143,000.00 | Relocate and expand Beauty Studio in WA |
| 40,000.00 | Purchase new work vehicle for contract painter in NT |
| 175,000.00 | Expand market garden business WA |
| 320,000.00 | Establish Gym and training facility NT |
| 50,000.00 | Expand hotel business with POS equipment & renovation TAS |
| 165,000.00 | Purchase crayfish boat SA |
| 22,500 | Expand existing tourism venture WA |
| 290,000 | Purchase new 20 tonne crane for existing business QLD |
| 325,000 | Expand existing aquaculture venture for the ornamental fish WA |
| 150,000 | Expand existing plumbing business NSW |
| 600,000 | Expand and upgrade existing service station facilities NT |
| 300,000 | Expand printing business through purchase of new updated colour printer and guillotine SA |
| 47,557 | Establish aboriginal cultural tourism business SA |
| 150,000 | Establish opal sales business SA |
| 45,000 | Establish Farrier business QLD |
| 6,000 | Establish greeting card production business NSW |
| 127,000 | Establish interactive computer training business QLD |
| 50,000 | Expand media business NT |
| 150,000 | Expand existing nursery business VIC |
| 106,000 | Establish a café NT |
| 140,000 | Establish a grader hire business NT |