

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace  
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Additional Estimates 2010-2011**

**Agency - Fair Work Australia**

**DEEWR Question No.EW0731\_11**

**Senator Abetz asked on 23/02/2011, Hansard page 53.**

**Question**

**VENUES FOR HEARINGS**

Senator ABETZ—Very good response! Has any consideration been given to the fact that these court buildings might be seen as somewhat confronting for hearings or does it come with the territory that it is a formal process? Mr Lee—We tend to be always be responsive to the needs of stakeholders. I am personally not aware of any, but I can take on notice if there has been any particular issue raised with those participating in those forums.

**Answer**

Fair Work Australia has provided the following response.

Fair Work Australia is not aware of any particular issue being raised by users in relation to the use of court buildings for the purposes of hearings.