

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

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2011-2012**

Outcome 2 - Schools and Youth

DEEWR Question No. EW0977_12

Senator Brown provided in writing.

Question

Chaplaincy program

Is DEEWR aware of any allegations of misconduct by any chaplain in receipt of National School Chaplaincy Program (the previous program) funding?

Answer

Between July 2007 and January 2012, DEEWR received a total of 97 complaints alleging breaches of the Chaplain Code of Conduct.

Of these, a total of 19 were found to be substantiated.