

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2013-2014**

Agency - Fair Work Building & Construction

Department of Employment Question No. EM0464_14

Senator Lines provided in writing.

Question

FWBC - Cost of report into sham contracting

What was the total cost of the 2012 report into sham contracting 'Working Arrangements in the Building & Construction Industry' commissioned by the FWBC?

Answer

The 2012 report into sham contracting cost \$313,064 (excluding GST).

This figure does not include the significant amount of staff time and employee on'costs devoted to this project.