

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

**2005-2006 BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING  
30, 31 MAY and 3 JUNE 2005**

**EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Office of the Employment Advocate**

**Question Number: W250-06**

**Question:**

Senator Marshall provided in writing:

How many staff in the OEA were engaged in approving AWAs in 2004/05?

Were these staff (and if so, what proportion were) engaged full time in approval of AWAs?

**Answer:**

130 OEA staff were engaged in approving AWAs during 2004-05.

Of these, 70 (or 54 per cent) were engaged full time in the approval of AWAs.