

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

**2006-2007 BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
29TH AND 30TH MAY 2006
EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO**

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Outcome 1: Efficient and effective labour market assistance

Output Group 1.2: Labour market programme management and delivery

Output 1.2.5: Employment preparation services

Question Number: W004-07

Question:

Senator Wong asked at *Hansard* page 21: What proportion of participants do not complete the full two-year programme?

Answer:

Around 50 per cent of participants who commenced in PSP during the 2003 calendar year did not stay in the programme for the entire two years.

A person may start in PSP and exit before the end of two years because they have an economic outcome such as participation in Job Network, employment or in education.