

**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: Corporate

Question Number: W169-07

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Senator Wong asked at *Hansard* page 35:

Where are new staff going, what level are they at and what are their tasks?

Answer:

Between 1 January and 30 June 2006, 876 staff commenced with DEWR. These staff are employed across all outcome areas and at all levels (see table below).

Tasks that staff are working on would typically include policy development, advice and implementation, programme management, tender and contract management, or direct client service.

Commencements 1 January – 30 June 2006 by Outcome and Broadband

Broadband	Enabling Services	Outcome 1	Outcome 2	Outcome 3	States	Grand Total
DEWR Broadband 1	98	25	20	2	101	246
DEWR Broadband 2	58	89	103	16	104	370
DEWR Broadband 3	24	46	50	13	15	148
DEWR Training Broadband	14	32	28	6	32	112
Grand Total	194	192	201	37	252	876