

**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: W172-07

Question:

Senator Mason asked in writing:

What is the sick leave entitlement allowable to the employees of the department as part of the terms of their employment (under the certified agreement or individual contracts)?

Answer:

Australian Workplace Agreements

Ongoing DEWR employees who have entered into AWAs are credited with 18 days personal leave on commencement and a further 18 days on each anniversary of their commencement.

Certified Agreement

Ongoing DEWR employees who are employed under the *DEWR Certified Agreement 2005 - 2008* are credited with 18 days personal leave on commencement and a further 18 days on each anniversary of their commencement.