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 2: Higher productivity, higher pay workplace

Output Group 2.2: Workplace relations implementation

Output 2.2.2: Assistance to the Employment Advocate

Question Number: W193-07

Question:

Senator Marshall asked at Hansard (29 May 2006) page 95:

Please provide some examples of what action has been taken in respect of the 3% of the sample that did not meet the Australian Fair Pay & Conditions Standard (the Standard) and were not compensated for by cash payments in excess of the Standard or otherwise?

Answer:

The 3 per cent of AWAs in the sample that provided for annual leave inferior to that required by the Standard and not compensated for by cash payments in excess of the Standard or otherwise, were referred to the Office of Workplace Services after being identified as possibly being in breach of the Standard.