

**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: W196-07

Question:

Senator Wong asked at *Hansard* (29 May 2006) page 99:

As to the AWAs in the sample that provided for alternative days substituting a public holiday, is it 54% of the total number of agreements in the sample or is it 54% of the 41% in the sample that do not retain the protected gazetted public holidays?

Answer:

Of the total sample of 250 agreements, 54 per cent included the protected award condition 'Days to be Substituted for Public Holidays or a Procedure for such Substitution'.