

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

**2006-2007 BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING  
29<sup>TH</sup> AND 30<sup>TH</sup> 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: W204-07**

**Question:**

Senator Marshall asked at *Hansard* (30 May 2006) page 12:

How many employers' requests for advice whether an agreement contains prohibited content, are outstanding for more than 30 days?

**Answer:**

As at 30 May 2006

As at 30 May 2006, 20 applications were outstanding for more than 30 days, from a total of 284 applications being processed by the Office of the Employment Advocate. This represents 7.04 per cent of applications being processed.