

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

**2007-2008 BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
28 and 29 MAY 2007**

EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Outcome 1: **Efficient and effective labour market assistance**

Output Group 1.2: **Labour market programme management and delivery**

Output 1.2.2: **Employment Services**

Question Number: **W144-08**

Question:

Senator Crossin asked at *Hansard* page 53:

Of the 73,800 placements who achieved a 26-week outcome, how many identified as Indigenous?

Answer:

In the 12 months to end March 2007, 7 281 long term (26 week) job outcomes for Indigenous job seekers were recorded by Job Network members. Not all job seekers are eligible for 26 week Intensive Support Outcomes and not all Indigenous Australian job seekers on the Job Network caseload were registered for a sufficient length of time to achieve 26 weeks of employment.

Estimated cost: Using the FOI calculator, to prepare this answer it has taken approximately two hours at an estimated cost of \$40.