

**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 1.1: Working age payments

Output 1.1.1: Working age payments and compliance

Question Number: W186-08

Question:

Senator Wong asked at *Hansard* page 121: Pensioner Education Supplement. Can the department provide an update of W1118-07?

Answer:

Income Support Payment	Average PES Duration (months)
Carer Payment	24
Disability Support Pension	32
Parenting Payment Single	26
Widow Allowance	28
Wife Pension	30
Newstart Allowance	13
DVA Age Pension	30

As at 31 March 2007

Estimated cost: Using the FOI calculator, to prepare this answer it has taken approximately 36 minutes at an estimated cost of \$11.10.