

**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: **W229-08**

Question:

Senator Wong asked in writing:

Can DEWR provide details of how many job seekers have received a wage subsidy paid from the Job Seeker Account since 1 June 2006?

Answer:

From 1 June 2006 to 31 March 2007, 21 293 job seekers have received a wage subsidy paid from the Job Seeker Account.

Estimated cost: Using the FOI calculator, to prepare this answer it has taken approximately 1 hour at an estimated cost of \$20.