

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
2008-09 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING**

Outcome People, Parliamentary and Communications Group

DEEWR Question No. EW143_09

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Co-ordination of Ministerial Briefs and advice from the Department

Since 1 December 2007 can you provide a costing of each event organised by the Department where the Minister, a representative of the Minister or one of her staff members has attended?

Answer

The requested information is not readily available and it would involve an unreasonable diversion of the department's resources to ascertain such information.