

**EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

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

**Outcome**            7

**DEEWR Question No. EW 258\_09**

Senator Abetz on 17 June 2008 provided in writing.

**Question**

Table 2.7B on page 122 of the Portfolio Budget Statement indicates that the 2007-08 estimated actual level of satisfaction of participants with the Green Corps Program is 87%. The 2008-09 estimate is 80%. Can the Department explain this expected decrease?

**Answer**

The 2008-09 estimate of 80% is the measure of satisfaction contained in key performance indicators of the 2006-09 Green Corps funding deed. This amount remains constant throughout the three year term of the funding deed.

The 2007-08 figure of 87% is the actual level of satisfaction of participants with the Green Corps program as determined through departmental post program monitoring surveys of participants three months after completion on the program.