

**EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

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

**Outcome**            **7**

**DEEWR Question No. EW294\_09(i)**

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

**Question**

- i) How many people have transferred from Parenting Payment to Newstart Allowance between July 1 2007 and June 30 2008?

**Answer**

Data are provided on the number of Parenting Payment recipients transferred to Newstart Allowance from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008.

Data in the following table are drawn from Centrelink Administrative Data, Events Views data set as at 30 June 2008.

Transfers are a count of Parenting Payment recipients who have been cancelled from that payment and immediately commenced on Newstart Allowance within the financial year.

**Table 1: Parenting Payment recipients transferred to Newstart Allowance  
1 July 07 to 30 June 2008**

<b>Payment Type</b>	<b>Transferred to Newstart Allowance</b>
Parenting Payment	15,731