

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

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

Outcome **WORKPLACE AUTHORITY**

Question No. **EW436_09**

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Budget cuts and impact on staffing and processing of agreements

What is the total number of on-going and non-ongoing employees that have been either terminated or made redundant since December 2007?

Answer

The Workplace Authority has provided the following response:

Employment separations are defined as those permanent separations from the Workplace Authority as a result of resignation, end of contract, retirement, dismissal, voluntary redundancy and promotion/movement to another APS agency. Between 1 December 2007 and 30 June 2008, there were a total of 193 permanent separations from the Workplace Authority. This figure includes the 42 redundancies that took effect as a result of the 54 redundancies that occurred during the period.