

**EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

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

**Outcome**            **WORKPLACE AUTHORITY**

**Question No.**    **EW453\_09**

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

**Question**

*Budget cuts and impact on staffing and processing of agreements*

Will these be forced redundancies?

**Answer**

The Workplace Authority has provided the following response:

As advised in Question No. EW438\_09, the *Public Service Act 1999* makes no distinction between voluntary and involuntary redundancy.