EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

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

Outcome WORKPLACE AUTHORITY

Question No. EW456_09

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Budget cuts and impact on staffing and processing of agreements

Which sections of the agency have these staff be cut from?

- (a) agreement processing and assessment;
- (b) policy
- (c) education and information services
- (d) workplace advice line/contact centre
- (e) marketing
- (f) legal division

Answer

The Workplace Authority has provided the following response:

The 53 non-ongoing employees referred to in Question No. EW454_09 are employed:

Business Area	Non-ongoing Employees
Agreements and	39
Strategy	
Agreements and	0
Policy [*]	
Knowledge Services	1
(education and	
information services)	
Workplace Infoline	9
Legal Services	0
Enabling Services (incl.	4
HR, IT, Finance,	
Business Services and	
Parliamentary)	
TOTAL	53

^{*} Both Agreements Business Areas include Assessments.