

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

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

Outcome **WORKPLACE AUTHORITY**

Question No. **EW619_09**

Senator Marshall asked on 3 June 2008, EEWL Hansard page 36:

Question

Did you make any referrals to the Workplace Ombudsman in this regard [failing to supply fact sheet]?

Answer

The Workplace Authority has provided the following response:

The Workplace Infoline refers calls to the Workplace Ombudsman when there is an immediate need to discuss a compliance issue with an Investigator.

The Workplace Infoline has referred only one call to the Workplace Ombudsman where the client has phoned to complain about a number of workplace matters including not receiving a fact sheet. The referral was for the sum of all of the issues raised, and not specifically due to the lack of provision of the Fact Sheet.