

**SENATE EMPLOYMENT, WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND EDUCATION
LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

**2004–2005 BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
31 MAY AND 1 JUNE 2004**

EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTION ON NOTICE

Outcome: Corporate

Question Number: W110-05

Question:

Senator Ludwig asked in writing:

If not, for the each of the (i) 1999–00, (ii) 2000–01, (iii) 2001–02, (iv) 2002–03 and (v) 2003–04 financial years, did the Department otherwise publish a report on outcomes achieved for clients from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds? If yes, please supply report).

Answer:

The Department of Employment and Workplace Relations (DEWR) was established in November 2001. Information for 1999-00 is not readily retrievable.

For 2000-01 and 2001-02, the department included a summary report against the Performance Management Framework of the *Charter of Public Service in a Culturally Diverse Society* in the Annual Report. For 2002-03 and 2003-04, the department provided a comprehensive access and equity report against the Performance Management Framework of the *Charter of Public Service in a Culturally Diverse Society* to DIMIA. Copies are attached.