EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 2 Output Group: 2.2 – New Apprenticeships

DEST Question No. E810_06 - Final

Senator Wong provided in writing.

Question:

For each year since 1998, please provide a list of the total number of New Apprenticeships available.

Please break these New Apprenticeships down by ASCO grouping.

Answer:

New Apprenticeships

The following table contains the latest New Apprenticeships commencements in the 12 months to June from 1998 to 2005 broken down by the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) groupings. This data was released by the National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER) on 30th November 2005.

New Apprenticeships commencements by ASCO Group								
ASCO Group	12 months to June							
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
1 Managers and Administrators	1,660	1,710	1,640	1,090	830	2,160	4,130	2,790
2 Professionals	1,880	1,660	1,670	1,860	1,940	2,170	2,040	2,140
3 Associate Professionals	7,220	7,100	7,580	9,960	14,200	23,600	19,300	21,200
4 Tradespersons and Related Workers	44,600	54,200	55,200	48,100	52,500	58,400	67,600	72,500
5 Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	340	280	1,150	5,620	7,890	5,400	4,710	5,430
6 Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	37,100	69,800	65,500	79,800	88,200	108,900	84,200	83,200
7 Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	3,950	9,470	21,800	24,800	29,700	35,200	29,200	33,600
8 Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	13,200	29,000	24,300	19,400	20,200	23,500	18,300	18,600
9 Labourers and Related Workers	16,200	24,000	22,800	24,700	28,900	28,700	25,000	26,000
Total	126,100	197,200	201,600	215,300	244,300	288,000	254,400	265,400

Note: Figures may not sum due to rounding