

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

**2005-2006 SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING  
2 and 3 NOVEMBER 2005**

**EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Corporate**

**Question Number: W531-06**

**Question:**

Senator Marshall asked in writing:

During the original budget estimates DEWR indicated that the offering of AWAs to its workforce had a large impact on productivity although DEWR admitted that it had not conducted any measurements of productivity since the introduction of its policy that all new staff must be engaged on AWAs in April 2005. Has DEWR conducted any productivity studies since April 2005? Please table these studies

**Answer:**

No.