

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2006-2007 SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 2

Output Group: 2.2 - Australian Apprenticeships

DEST Question No. E627_07

Senator Wong provided in writing.

Question:

- a) In the last 5 years, have any incentive payments been recovered or recovery sought from employers of apprentices in certificates I, II, III or IV in Process Manufacturing?
- b) If so, what was the amount of money recovered or sought?
- c) Have any of these cases been referred to the Police?
- d) If so, what grounds is breach alleged?

Answer:

Process Manufacturing recovery of incentives

- a) Yes.
- b) Amount of recovered incentive payments is \$181,720. Amount of outstanding incentive overpayments is \$59,180.
- c) No
- d) Not applicable