

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

**2006-2007 SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
2ND NOVEMBER 2006**

EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

OFFICE OF WORKPLACE SERVICES

**Outcome 1 : The rights and obligations of workers and employers under the
Workplace Relations Act 1996 are understood and enforced fairly**

Output Group 1.1 : Education and Compliance Services

Question Number: W395-07

Question:

Senator Wong asked in writing

Feltex Pty Ltd

Can the OWS confirm the new owner of the business has offered AWAs as a
condition of employment and is this permitted under the Workplace Relations Act?

Answer:

The matter remains under investigation at 1 November 2006.

Estimated Cost: To prepare this answer has taken approximately 1.65 hours at a cost
of \$32.25