

**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

AUSTRALIAN FAIR PAY COMMISSION SECRETARIAT

Outcome 1: Set federal minimum and classification wages to promote the economic prosperity of the people of Australia

Question Number: W519-07

Question:

Senator Wong asked in writing:

Fair Pay Commission - Award Rationalisation Does the AFPC intend to meet the 2009 deadline for the removal of all state and territory differences from the pay and classification scales as required by the WorkChoices Act? If not, why not?

Answer:

The Secretariat is not in a position to comment on the AFPC's intentions.