

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

**2006-2007 SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
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EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Corporate

Question Number: W566-07

Question:

Senator Marshall asked in writing: In relation to the answer to question W175-07, why is it that the DEWR does not identify projected legal costs? If this has now changed, can you please provide the projected expenditure for legal costs 2006-2007?

Answer:

Under the Commonwealth's output and outcome based budgeting and reporting framework agencies are not required to report below the output level. In addition, in line with this framework resources are managed at the output level.