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

Outcome 2: Higher productivity, higher pay workplaces

Output Group 2.2: Workplace relations implementation

Output 2.2.3: Workplace relations services

Question Number: W740-07

Question:

Senator Wong asked in writing: Limit the circumstances when GEERS is available only to where the company has a liquidator or provisional liquidator appointed, and to exclude instances where a company is under a Deed of Company Arrangement or Voluntary Administration?

Answer:

The GEERS Operational Arrangements were enhanced to ensure that the integrity of the Scheme was maintained.

Estimated cost: Based on the FOI calculator it has taken approximately 2 hours at an estimated cost of \$40 to prepare this answer.