

**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: Set federal minimum and classification wages to promote the economic prosperity of the people of Australia.

Question Number: W776_07

Question:

Senator Wong asked in writing: **Australian Fair Pay Commission – Scope of Application of Decision** If real wages were to drop, what impact does the AFPC think this will have on the economy, unemployment and jobs growth?

Answer:

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