

**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 3: Increased workforce participation

Output Group 3.2: Labour market strategies

Output 3.2.1: Labour Market Analysis

Question Number: W846-07

Question:

Senator Wong asked in writing:

Amex request to use Japanese workers in a Sydney call centre

When did DEWR first become involved in discussions relating to the new Labour Agreement for Amex?

Answer:

On 20 December 2005, the migration agents for Amex forwarded to DIMA and DEWR correspondence that referred to the negotiation of a new Labour Agreement.