

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
2008-09 SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING**

Outcome 7

DEEWR Question No. EW757_09

Senator Cash provided in writing.

Question

NEIS

Of the current NEIS participants, what percentage has been out of work for more than a year?

Answer

Of the NEIS participants who commenced under the current contract in the 2007–08 financial year, 28.7 per cent had been out of work for more than a year.