## SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

## QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2009-10

Outcome 4

DEEWR Question No. EW498\_10

Senator Cash provided in writing.

Question

DMI 4 Worker

What is a (DMI) 4 worker?

## **Answer**

A DMI 4 worker is a person that has been assessed as requiring the highest level of support from a Disability Employment Network (DEN) provider in order to keep their job. The Disability Maintenance Instrument (DMI) is a tool used to determine the level of funding required for a DEN participant. The DMI determines the support requirements for workers to maintain their employment. The DMI is completed after an eligible job seeker achieves an employment outcome of 26 weeks of employment in one or more employment situations during a 12 to 18-month period.