

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

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2009-10**

**Outcome** 5

**DEEWR Question No.** EW765\_10

Senator Cash on Thursday 22 October 2009, EEWHR Hansard page 129

**Question**

*Free events seminars*

Senator CASH—In terms of the information sessions that have been conducted to date, are you able to break that figure down on a per state basis and on a per organisation basis?

**Answer**

The requested data on Fair Work Education and Information Program funded information sessions conducted as at 16 October 2009 are as follows.

| State | Number of events | Providers   |
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| NSW   | 252              | ACT & Region Chamber of Commerce & Industry (10)<br>Aged & Community Services Australia (3)<br>Australian Chamber Alliance - New South Wales Business Chamber (35)<br>Australian Council of Trade Unions & Affiliates (12)<br>Australian Hotels Association (18)<br>Australian Industry Group (81)<br>Australian Retailers Association (5)<br>Australian Road Transport Industrial Organisation (13)<br>Master Builders Australia Ltd (5)<br>Master Grocers Australia (13)<br>National Farmers Federation (3)<br>National Retail Association (24)<br>Recruitment & Consulting Services Australia (15)<br>Restaurant & Catering Australia (12)<br>Victorian Automobile Chamber of Commerce (3) |
| TAS   | 51               | Australian Chamber Alliance - Chamber of Commerce Tasmania (12)<br>Australian Council of Trade Unions & Affiliates (3)<br>Australian Hotels Association – Tasmania (1)<br>Australian Human Resources Institute (4)<br>Australian Industry Group (2)<br>Master Builders Australia (3)<br>Master Grocers Australia (4)<br>National Farmers Federation (9)<br>National Retail Association (5)<br>Recruitment & Consulting Services Australia (5)<br>Restaurant & Catering Australia (1)<br>Victorian Automobile Chamber of Commerce (2)  |

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| VIC | 238 | <p>Aged and Community Services Australia (7)</p> <p>Australian Chamber Alliance - Victorian Employers' Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industry (50)</p> <p>Australian Council of Trade Unions &amp; Affiliates (12)</p> <p>Australian Hotels Association (11)</p> <p>Australian Industry Group (60)</p> <p>Australian Retail Association (7)</p> <p>Australian Road Transport Industrial Organisation (12)</p> <p>Job Watch (30)</p> <p>Master Builders Australia Ltd (2)</p> <p>Master Grocers Australia (10)</p> <p>National Farmers Federation (8)</p> <p>National Retail Association (3)</p> <p>Recruitment &amp; Consulting Services Australia (15)</p> <p>Restaurant &amp; Catering Australia (7)</p> <p>Victorian Automobile Chamber of Commerce (4)</p> |
| WA  | 96  | <p>Aged and Community Services Australia (1)</p> <p>Australian Chamber Alliance - Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industry Western Australia (44)</p> <p>Australian Council of Trade Unions &amp; Affiliates (1)</p> <p>Australian Hotels Association (12)</p> <p>Australian Human Resources Institute (5)</p> <p>Australian Retail Association (4)</p> <p>Master Builders Australia Ltd (2)</p> <p>National Farmers' Federation (5)</p> <p>National Retail Association (13)</p> <p>Recruitment &amp; Consulting Services Australia (5)</p> <p>Restaurant &amp; Catering Australia (4)</p>   |
| NT  | 40  | <p>Australian Chamber Alliance - Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industry Northern Territory (25)</p> <p>Australian Council of Trade Unions &amp; Affiliates (1)</p> <p>Australian Human Resources Institute (2)</p> <p>Australian Road Transport Industrial Organisation (5)</p> <p>Master Builders Australia Ltd (1)</p> <p>National Farmers' Federation (4)</p> <p>Recruitment &amp; Consulting Services Australia (2)</p>  |
| ACT | 22  | <p>ACT &amp; Region Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industry (6)</p> <p>Australian Chamber Alliance - New South Wales Business Chamber (3)</p> <p>Australian Council of Trade Unions &amp; Affiliates (4)</p> <p>Australian Hotels Association (2)</p> <p>Australian Human Resources Institute (3)</p> <p>Master Builders Australia Ltd (1)</p> <p>Recruitment &amp; Consulting Services Australia (1)</p> <p>Restaurant &amp; Catering Australia (2)</p>  |
| SA  | 88  | <p>Australian Chamber Alliance - Business South Australia (41)</p> <p>Australian Council of Trade Unions &amp; Affiliates (4)</p> <p>Australian Hotels Association (4)</p> <p>Australian Human Resources Institute (5)</p> <p>Australian Industry Group (12)</p> <p>Australian Road Transport Industrial Organisation (1)</p> <p>Master Builders Australia Ltd (5)</p> <p>National Farmers' Federation (5)</p> <p>National Retail Association (8)</p>  |

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|             |     | Recruitment & Consulting Services Australia (3)  |
| QLD         | 172 | Aged and Community Services Australia (6)<br>Australian Chamber Alliance - Chamber of Commerce & Industry Queensland (18)<br>Australian Council of Trade Unions & Affiliates (19)<br>Australian Hotels Association – Queensland (5)<br>Australian Human Resources Institute (4)<br>Australian Industry Group (36)<br>Australian Retailers Association (4)<br>Australian Road Transport Industrial Organisation (8)<br>Master Builders Australia Ltd (8)<br>Master Grocers Australia (4)<br>National Farmers' Federation (3)<br>National Retail Association (35)<br>Recruitment & Consulting Services Australia (9)<br>Restaurant & Catering Australia (10)<br>Victorian Automobile Chamber of Commerce (3) |
| *All States | 11  | Australian Mines and Metals Association (3)<br>Australian Retail Association (8)<br>* Webinars only (online seminars, participation open to all states)  |

970 events have been held as at 16 October 2009, including a number of sessions not reported to the department prior to the Estimates hearing date.