Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

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Outcome 4 - Employment & Participation Policy

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Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

JSA CONTRACTORS

Is the Department aware of any instance where the lead contractor has not met their obligations under the contract- for example, not paying a sub-contractor adequately?

Answer

As previously answered at Question <u>EW0158_11</u> (Budget Estimates 2010-2011), the Department was made aware of one Job Services Australia subcontracting relationship where the parties had internal commercial relationship issues.