Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

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Outcome 4 - Employment & Participation Policy

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Textile, Clothing and Footwear Structural Adjustment Program(TCF SAP)

Question

LABOUR MARKET ADJUSTMENT PACKAGE

How many job seekers have been supported by the Textiles, clothing and footwear industry Labour Market Adjustment Package to date? What has been the total expenditure on this Labour Market Adjustment Package to date?

Answer

- As at 31 August 2010, there were 1,999 eligible job seekers who had registered with Job Services Australia for assistance under theTextile, Clothing and Footwear Structural Adjustment Program (TCF SAP) since it began in July 2005.
- As at 31 August 2010, \$6.7 million had been spent under the labour market adjustment element of the TCF SAP since it began in July 2005.