

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2010-2011**

Agency - Fair Work Ombudsman

DEEWR Question No.EW0459_11

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

**FAIR WORK OMBUDSMAN SHARED INDUSTRY ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME
(SIAP)**

Was the Australian Medical Association successful in receiving funding?

Answer

The Fair Work Ombudsman has provided the following response:

The Australian Medical Association has been offered a SIAP grant for the *Health Professionals and Support Services Award 2010*, subject to entering into a SIAP funding agreement with the Fair Work Ombudsman.

As at 3 December 2010, the SIAP funding agreement has not yet been signed.