

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**  
**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio**  
**Department of Climate Change**  
**Budget Estimates Hearing—May 2009**

**Written question reference:** CC3a

**Outcome/Output:** Outcome 1, Output Group 1.1 – Response to climate change

**Topic:** Climate Change Call Centre

**Hansard Page:** Not relevant for written QoN

**Question:** (Senator Abetz)

**Senator ABETZ**—All right. How many days did the call centre operate last year?

**Senator ABETZ**—If it did not operate on the weekends and public holidays, it may have only operated for 74 working days.

**Senator Wong**—Senator, I am very pleased to concede your arithmetic, but I am not sure what the point is. If you want to know if it operated on the weekends, we will take that question on notice.

**Answer:**

The Climate Change Campaign call centre operated for 74 business days. It did not operate on weekends or state-wide NSW public holidays.