

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012**

**Finance and Deregulation Portfolio**

**Department/Agency: Department of Finance and Deregulation**

**Outcome/Program: 3/3.1**

**Topic: Evaluation of electorate officer working hours and electorate staff allowance**

**Senator: Kroger**

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**Question:**

Was there a slow take-up of survey participation?

**Answer:**

The first part of the evaluation of electorate officer working hours and electorate staff allowance, the timesheet exercise, has been completed. 160 electorate employees participated in this part of the evaluation.