EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2008-09 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome 9

DEEWR Question No. EW130_09

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Drafting Instructions - Forward With Fairness

Has the Department issued drafting instructions to the Parliamentary drafters with respect to any aspect of the making of (1) union collective agreements; (2) non-union or employee collective agreements; (3) union Greenfield agreements; (4) non-union or employer Greenfield agreements; and (5) a form of individual statutory agreement? If yes, what date did this occur?

Answer

This question was answered by Ms Natalie James, Chief Counsel, Workplace Relations Legal Group, at the estimates hearing (refer to EEWR Hansard page 50). The written material referred to by Ms James, covered a range of topics relevant to the legislation.

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