Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016

Outcome 2 - Workplace Relations and Economic Strategy

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000010

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Question

Greenfields Agreements - proportion of agreements

What proportion of Greenfields agreements were made in each industry segment, compared to all Agreements? (eg construction AND admin and support services AND manufacturing AND mining AND transport, postal and warehousing AND professional, scientific and technical services)

Can we also get this data from January 2004?

Answer

The table below uses data from the Department of Employment's Workplace Agreement Database and provides the industry share of Greenfields agreements made in the twelve months to 30 September 2015 (the most recent available data).

Industry	Year to 30 September 2015 Percentage of all Greenfields
Accommodation and Food Services	1.2%
Administrative and Support Services	7.3%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	0.0%
Arts and Recreation Services	1.5%
Construction	72.1%
Education and Training	0.3%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1.5%
Financial and Insurance Services	0.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	0.3%
Information Media and Telecommunications	0.6%
Manufacturing	4.9%
Mining	1.2%
Other Services	0.6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	1.7%
Public Administration and Safety	0.6%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1.5%
Retail Trade	0.3%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	4.1%
Wholesale Trade	0.6%

The table below provides an industry breakup of greenfields agreements approved in the first nine months of 2015 (the most recent available data).

Industry	1 January to 30 September 2015
Accommodation and Food Services	1.7%
Administrative and Support Services	8.3%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	0.0%
Arts and Recreation Services	1.7%
Construction	69.0%
Education and Training	0.4%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	2.2%
Financial and Insurance Services	0.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	0.4%
Information Media and Telecommunications	0.4%
Manufacturing	5.7%
Mining	0.4%
Other Services	0.9%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	2.2%
Public Administration and Safety	0.4%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	0.9%
Retail Trade	0.4%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	3.9%
Wholesale Trade	0.9%

The proportion of Greenfields agreements made in each industry segment for previous calendar years from January 2004 was provided in EMSQ15-000368.