

## Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

### QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016

#### Outcome 1 - Employment

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000187

Senator Siewert provided in writing.

Relates to previous Employment Question No EMSQ15-000472

#### Question

##### Update to EMSQ15-000472 - Job seeker compliance data

Please provide updates to the following QoNs from Supplementary Budget Estimates 2015-16 using the latest available data/period: EMSQ15-000472.

#### Answer

The following table shows financial penalties incurred by all job seekers, Indigenous job seekers and non-Indigenous job seekers for the period 1 July 2015 – 30 September 2015. Eight week payment penalty numbers that were fully or partly waived have not been omitted.

Financial Penalty	Cohort	Incurred
8 week NPPs	All job seekers	6,171
Short Financial	All job seekers	27,325
8 week NPPs	Non Indigenous	3,876
Short Financial	Non Indigenous	9,979
8 week NPPs	Indigenous	2,295
Short Financial	Indigenous	17,346

Source: Department of Human Services administrative data.