Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2010-2011

Agency - Fair Work Australia

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Question

I am wondering how many applications Fair Work Australia has received for the current financial year. Mr Lee—The total lodgements that we have received at FWA from 1 July to 31 January are 21,521, from 1 July 2010 to 31 January 2011. Senator BILYK—Sorry, July 10 to January, was it? Mr Lee—To 31 January 2011. Senator BILYK—You may need to take this on notice. Am I able to get some sort of breakdown of categories of those applications? Mr Lee—Yes, absolutely. That can be supplied. Senator BILYK—Would you prefer that on notice? Mr Lee—Yes, it would be easier to do it that way. Senator BILYK—That is great. Thanks. That is all that I wanted, thanks.

Answer

Fair Work Australia has provided the following response.

Lodgments of FWA Matters—1 July 2010 to 31 January 2011 (breakdown by categories)

Note: Disputes include applications under sections 365 and 773

Agreements	9553
Annual Returns	31
Appeals	108
Awards	296
Bargaining	793
Boards of Reference	104
Chpt 5 - Administration (FW Act)	1
Disputes	2427
Elections	110
Enterprise Modern Award	5
Entry Permits	684
Financial Reporting	209
Organisations Rules	45
Regd Orgs - FWA matters	23
Regd Orgs Matters - Other	55
Review of Awards	1
Terminations	7076
Total	21521