

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2010-2011**

Agency - Fair Work Ombudsman

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Senator Abetz asked on 23/02/2011, Hansard page 47.

Question

SECONDMENT ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN FWO AND THE ABCC

Senator ABETZ—So all this has been happening since September 2009 and we have had the success rate of one. Mr Loizides—That is correct, Senator. Senator ABETZ—Any in the pipeline? Mr Loizides—I cannot answer that question at the moment. Senator ABETZ—Take it on notice.

Answer

The Fair Work Ombudsman provided the following response.

One member of the Fair Work Ombudsman staff has gone on secondment to the Australian Building and Construction Commission and two members of the Australian Building and Construction Commission staff have come on secondment to the Fair Work Ombudsman under the program. There are currently no applications under consideration.