

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

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Additional Estimates 2011-2012**

**Agency - Fair Work Australia**

**DEEWR Question No. EW1072\_12**

**Senator Abetz asked on 15 February 2012 , Hansard page 31**

**Question**

**FWA - Letter from Tim Lee to commander of Fraud Squad**

Senator ABETZ: Are we able to be told whether or not the letter that Mr Lee wrote to the commander of the Fraud Squad was as per legal advice from the Australian Government Solicitor, or was it written by Mr Lee himself? Ms O'Neill: I understand it was on the basis of legal advice. Whether there was any particular kind of deviation, I am not sure so I will take that on notice.

**Answer**

*Fair Work Australia has provided the following response:*

Mr Lee's letter to Acting Commander Watson dated 26 August 2011 was drafted by Corrs Westgarth Chambers Lawyers in consultation with the Australian Government Solicitor. Mr Lee did not amend the draft letter in any material respect.