# SENATE EMPLOYMENT, WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND EDUCATION LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

# 2005-2006 BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING 30 ,31 MAY and 3 JUNE 2005

#### EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

## **QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

Outcome 3: Increased workforce participation

Output Group 3.1: Working age policy

**Outputs 3.1.1:** Working Age Policy and Legislation

**Ouestion Number: W004-06** 

#### **Ouestion:**

Senator Wong asked at *Hansard* page 13:

What are the assumptions about people who will move into work without access to any of those services on which the *Welfare to Work* package is based?

### **Answer:**

It was estimated that 1.5% of Parenting Payment customers who will face new requirements would find employment without accessing services.

It was estimated that 2% of mature aged customers who will face new or increased requirements and not already participating in Job Network will leave payment without accessing services.

**Customers finding employment without accessing services** 

Payment:	2005-06	2006-07	2008-09
Parenting Payment Partnered	0	92	147
Parenting Payment Single	0	345	551
Newstart Allowance	0	82	99

For people with a disability and for the very long term unemployed, it was estimated that no customers would move into work without access to services.