

**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

Question Number: W109-06

Question:

Senator Carr provided in writing:

The ATSIC Binjirru Council is a signatory to the Shepparton trial Compact. What has the Council's role been in the trial?

Answer:

Two Shepparton based Binjirru Regional Councillors are members of the Aboriginal Community Facilitation Group (ACFG). A third Shepparton Regional Councillor, was an initial member of the ACFG. The Binjirru Regional Chair attended most community consultation meetings and a large number of monthly ACFG/Government Steering Group meetings.