SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE BUDGET ESTIMATES 2009-10

Outcome 4

DEEWR Question No. EW0019_10

Senator Siewert asked in writing.

Question

Recipients of Pensioner Education Supplement

The number of Newstart Allowance / Youth Allowance (other) recipients receiving Pensioner Education Supplement.

Answer

As at 29 May 2009, 30 Newstart Allowance recipients were receiving the Pensioner Education Supplement (PES). No Youth Allowance (other) recipients were receiving PES at that time.