

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
BUDGET ESTIMATES 2009-10**

Outcome/Agency Australian Industrial Registry

DEEWR Question No. EW0244_10

Senator Humphries asked on 2 June 2009, EEWHR Hansard page 14

For each of those hearings into a particular industry, typically how many parties are appearing in front of the commission to make submissions?

Answer

Australian Industrial Registry has provided the following response:

Based on the appearances as recorded in the transcript of proceedings for each of the stages listed the total number of parties appearing in award modernisation proceedings to date has been:

Initial priority issues (May–Jun 08) – 9 hearing days

Estimated number is 178

Priority industries/occupations (Jul–Dec 08) – 11 industry groups – 32 hearing days

Estimated number is 332

Stage 2 industries/occupations (Oct 08–Apr 09) – 11 industry groups – 24 hearing days

Estimated number is 267

Stage 3 industries/occupations (Mar–Sep 09) – 39 industry groups – 31 hearing days

Estimated number is 259

Stage 4 industries/occupations (Jun–Dec 09) – 1 hearing day

Estimated number is 8

National training wage (Jan-Feb09) – 6 hearing days

Estimated number is 81

Total

Estimated number is 1125 appearances in 103 hearing days