Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2012-13 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 7 Question No: 488

Topic: PY-KU Centres on the APY Lands

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Senator Boyce asked:

"How many people are employed in these centres? How many are indigenous? What type of training and supervision do they have?"

Answer:

There are 20 people employed in PY Ku Centres. Nineteen of these employees are Indigenous.

PY Ku employees have the opportunity to study Certificate II in Business through TAFE SA Regional. Government agencies that have fee for service arrangements with PY Ku Aboriginal Corporation also train the employees to deliver their programs.

PY Ku Centre employees are supervised by the General Manager of PY Ku Aboriginal Corporation. There are additional on-site supervisors located in the Pipalyatjara and Amata PY Ku Centres.