

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016**

Outcome: Early Childhood and Child Care

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ16-000144

Senator Lines, Sue provided in writing

Impact on families in the 'no change' group

Question

In relation to the Minister's media release from 30 January 2016 "One million families to benefit from child care reforms".

What does the department mean when they classify the impact on a family as 'no change'?

- a. What causes so many low income families to be in the 'no change' group?
- b. How can so many families be in a situation where they will not be even slightly better or worse off?

Answer

Please refer to Additional Estimates question SQ16-000227