

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016

Agency - Workplace Gender Equality Agency

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000461

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

WGEA - Enterprise Bargaining Agreements

1. Please list all related EBAs with coverage of the department.
2. Please list their starting and expiration dates.
3. What is the current status of negotiations for the next agreement/s? Please detail.

Answer

1. Workplace Gender Equality Agency (WGEA) Enterprise Agreement 2015 – 2018.
2. The Agreement was approved on 22 December 2015 and, in accordance with s.54 of the *Fair Work Act 2009*, will operate from 29 December 2015. The nominal expiry date of the Agreement is 21 December 2018.
3. The WGEA has not commenced negotiations for the next agreement.