

## **Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment**

### **QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Budget Estimates 2016 - 2017**

#### **Outcome 1 - Employment**

**Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000777**

**Senator Cameron asked on 06 May 2016 on proof Hansard page 34**

#### **Question**

##### **Ireland's internship program outcomes**

Senator CAMERON: Do you have a brief on the Irish experience and outcomes?

Ms Leon: We can take on notice whether Ireland has produced a publicly available document.

Ms Jensen: We have had some information from the Irish about some of the guidelines that they use in the program. We can take that on notice. We have been in touch with the Department of Social Protection.

Ms Leon: It would be better for us to take on notice whether they are publicly available or whether Ireland has some aspects of integrity monitoring that they do not want to make public, as we do. We would have to consult our Irish colleagues about whether their guidelines are public.

#### **Answer**

Please refer to EMSQ16-000778.