

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

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Agency - Fair Work Commission

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ17-004103

Senator Abetz asked on 30 May 2017 on proof Hansard page 12

Question

FWC - Ms Wells' role with the Fair Work Commission

Senator ABETZ: So what is Ms Wells' role within the Fair Work Commission? What sorts of matters does she undertake?

Ms O'Neill: I would have to take that on notice

Answer

Deputy President Wells has undertaken a range of matters allocated to her through the Commission's panel system. Panel Heads have been able to allocate any matters to Deputy President Wells, subject to her capacity.

The panel system is described on the Commission's Panel System webpage at:

<https://www.fwc.gov.au/about-us/members-panels/panel-system>