

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

Agency - Fair Work Ombudsman

Department of Employment Question No. EM1133_15

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

FWO - Market Research

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014: List any market research conducted by the department/agency: 1. List the total cost of this research 2. List each item of expenditure and cost, broken down by division and program 3. Who conducted the research? 4. How were they identified? 5. Where was the research conducted? 6. In what way was the research conducted? 7. Were focus groups, round tables or other forms of research tools used? 8. How were participants for these focus groups et al selected? 9. How was the firm or individual that conducted the review selected? 10. What input did the Minister have? 11. How was it approved? 12. Were other firms or individuals considered? If yes, please detail.

Answer

The FWO did not conduct any market research during the period 2 June - 31 October 2014 other than that which was reported in EM0271_15 (for the period March – June 2014).

There was no input from the Minister in the market research.