

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Supplementary Budget Estimates 2016 - 2017

Agency - Fair Work Building and Construction

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000821

Senator Cameron provided in writing.

Question

FWBC - Compliance Assessments - Building and Construction Industry (Fair and Lawful Building Sites) Code 2014

With regard to the agency's role in assessing enterprise agreements' compliance with the Building and Construction Industry (Fair and Lawful Building Sites) Code 2014 (the Code):

1. How many enterprise agreements has FWBC's Building Code Group assessed against the code?
2. How many of those agreements have been assessed as non-compliant?
3. For what reason/s have those agreements been assessed as non-compliant?
4. Who are the parties to agreements that have been assessed as non-compliant?
5. How many enterprise agreements have been assessed as non-compliant with the Code because the agreement imposed an obligation (however described) on an employer to employ apprentices or trainees directly or engage apprentices or trainees through another entity such as a group training company?
6. If any agreements described in 5 above have been assessed as non-compliant, for what reason/s have they been so assessed and who are the parties to the agreement?

Answer

FWBC has no role in assessing enterprise agreements' compliance with the Building and Construction Industry (Fair and Lawful Building Sites) Code 2014 (the Code).