Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Industry, Innovation, Science, Research and Tertiary Education Portfolio
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: AUSTRALIAN SKILLS QUALITY AUTHORITY (ASQA)

TOPIC: Audits

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QUESTION No.: AI-47

CHAIR: We now turn to ASQA. Welcome Mr Robinson and your officers. Senator Nash.

Senator NASH: Mr Robinson, how many audits have been done to date?

Mr C Robinson: I will just have to get the figure out. We will come back to that in a moment.

ANSWER

ASQA has decided to carry out some 2,206 audit processes during its first 18 months of operation. As at 31 December 2012 there were:

- 473 audits that had been directed but had not yet commenced;
- 351 audits were in progress; and
- 1,382 audits finalised.