

**SENATE EMPLOYMENT, WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND EDUCATION
LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

**2003-2004 ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING
19 FEBRUARY 2004**

EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Outcome: Corporate

Question Number: W345-04

Question:

Senator Wong asked in writing:

How many overseas trips were taken by DEWR employees - paid for by DEWR - in 1996-97, 1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-00, 2000-01, 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04 to date?

Answer:

The Department of Employment and Workplace Relations was created in November 2001. The data is therefore provided for the financial year 2002-2003, and for 2003-2004 to date.

During 2002-2003 there were 27 overseas trips.

During 2003-2004 (to date) there were 16 overseas trips.