

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Agency **Office of the Australian Building and Construction Commissioner**

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Senator Cash asked on 2 June 2009, EEWPR Proof Hansard page 71

Question

- A. Of the 113 investigations into Right of Entry breaches how many were successful?
- B. Can you do a comparison for me of the previous 12 months or the previous 10 months?

Answer

The Office of the Australian Building and Construction Commissioner has provided the following response.

Since May 2006, the ABCC has taken 10 proceedings involving Right of Entry breaches to court or the Australian Industrial Relations Commission. Some of the cases involved multiple breaches. Five cases were successful and five are yet to be determined. Fourteen investigations into suspected Right of Entry breaches are continuing.