

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2011-2012**

Agency - Fair Work Australia

DEEWR Question No.EW0065_12

Senator Abetz provided in writing.

Question

Details Of People In The Public Gallery

Is there a requirement for persons in the public gallery to provide information about themselves?

Answer

Fair Work Australia has provided the following response.

The conduct of proceedings is at the discretion of the Fair Work Australia Member conducting the hearing and there may be instances where persons would be required to provide information about themselves eg prospective witnesses may be asked to provide information about themselves in the event it is not considered appropriate they remain in the public gallery while other witnesses are giving evidence