

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

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

Outcome 2 - Schools

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Senator Scullion asked on 2/06/2011, Hansard page 35.

Question

200 Additional Teachers

Senator SCULLION: Do you do any exit interviews to try to establish what— Ms Paul: We do not employ the teachers. They are employed by the Northern Territory department or the Northern Territory Catholic education authority, or whoever. As to whether they do, I suspect they might—I would have to take it on notice if you really want us to pursue that. Senator MASON: I would like to know.

Answer

The Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations does not employ teachers. Teachers are employed by education authorities, in this case the Northern Territory Department of Education and Training.

The Northern Territory Department of Education and Training has provided the following response.

All employees leaving the Department of Education and Training are encouraged to complete an exit questionnaire, and are offered the opportunity for an exit interview. The information provided through these channels is used to improve workforce planning and human resource management practices.