

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

**2006-2007 SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
2ND NOVEMBER 2006**

EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Outcome 3: Increased workforce participation

Output Group 3.1: Working age policy

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Question Number: W817-07

Question:

Senator Crossin asked in writing:

Can you advise in relation to each community that has had their RAE lifted, how many more CDEP places has each been given?

Answer:

If a CDEP organisation is affected by an increase of participants as a result of RAEs being removed in a community, the total funding is re-negotiated with the organisation(s) concerned. Negotiations are carried out on a case by case basis and take into account historical use of places, potential impact of policy directions, expected employment outcomes and other local issues. An increase in CDEP places can not be attributed solely to the removal of RAEs.