

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
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Agency *Fair Work Ombudsman*

DEEWR Question No. **EW635_10**

Senator Humphries asked on 21 October 2009, EEWL Hansard page 73.

Question

Industry sectors from which the Fair Work Ombudsman receives the most complaints

Senator HUMPHRIES—Could you list for us the three industries or sectors from which your office receives the most complaints?

Answer

The Fair Work Ombudsman has provided the following response:

The majority of complaints received by the Fair Work Ombudsman are against employers in the retail industry, the accommodation and food services industry, the manufacturing industry and construction industry.