

CORONAVIRUS — CONSTRUCTION WORKFORCE SUPPORT PACKAGE

607. Hon COLIN de GRUSSA to the Minister for Education and Training:

I refer to the \$24.5 million support package for the construction workforce announced on 23 April.

- (1) How many applications have been received, and what is the total value of the one-off \$2 000 payments to employers to maintain apprentices and trainees?
- (2) How many applications have been approved, and what is the total dollar value of payments received by employers to date?
- (3) How many applications have been received for monthly grants between \$250 and \$500, and what is the total value of applications received?
- (4) How many applications have been approved, and what is the total dollar value of payments received by employers to date?

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

I am not going to give the honourable member this answer because I think there are a few mistakes in it, so I apologise to him for that. I will give him the answer to this question tomorrow.