

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES — APPRENTICES AND TRAINEES

2033. Hon Ljiljana Ravlich to the Minister for Disability Services

For each Department, Agency or Government owned corporation for which the Minister has responsibility -

- (1) How many apprentices are currently employed?
- (2) How many trainees are currently employed?
- (3) Are there currently any plans to increase the number of apprenticeships and traineeships immediately?
- (4) If yes to (3), what are the proposed increases?
- (5) What funds have been allocated in 2009-10 to recruit more participants for apprenticeships and traineeships?
- (6) If no funds have been allocated, why not?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

- (1) The Commission does not employ apprentices.
- (2) 80 trainees are currently employed in the Commission.
- (3) No.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) Approximately \$200 000 has been allocated to fund eight new business trainee positions.
- (6) Not applicable.