

WORKPLACE AGREEMENTS

56. Hon J.A. COWDELL to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Labour Relations:

I refer to the reference in the Administrator's speech that, "Well over 200,000 workplace agreements have been registered to date, providing Western Australians with more flexibility and improved pay and conditions."

- (1) How many of these workplace agreements were registered in -
 - (a) 1995;
 - (b) 1996;
 - (c) 1997;
 - (d) 1998;
 - (e) 1999; and
 - (f) 2000 to date?
- (2) How many of the 200 000 workplace agreements referred to in the Administrator's speech are current?
- (3) What percentage of the WA work force is covered by state workplace agreements?
- (4) How many public sector employees are currently employed under workplace agreements?
- (5) What percentage of the public sector work force does this represent?

Hon PETER FOSS replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question. Due to limited time, I request the member to place the question on notice.