

EMPLOYER-EMPLOYEE AGREEMENTS, REGISTRATION, DIFFICULTIES

1191. Hon. C.L. Edwardes to the Minister for Consumer and Employment Protection

I refer the Minister to the registration of Employer Employee Agreements (EEA) and ask -

- (a) by making it so difficult for employers and employees to register an EEA and forcing employees into an Award, is the Minister increasing union finances with the fees of employees who don't want to be members; and
- (b) what action will the Minister take to compensate those employees who have missed out on above award payments because EEAs are too difficult to register?

Mr J.C. KOBELKE replied:

- (a) No.
- (b) The question is predicated on a statement that is not correct and it is therefore not possible to answer.