



SEN 036 17/18 OFFICE FURNITURE AND SEATING

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS #7

Question 1:

If we were to meet the stated weight requirements of 400lbs and 500 lbs of the ergonomic Task chairs (A & B) the chair specified would only meet the requirements of your largest users, excluding average sized or smaller users. Typically these users are using chairs rated to 300lbs with larger users using the chairs rated to the higher weight requirements. To meet a 500lb weight rating, the Bariatric task chair is heavily reinforced and can only be used by users of that stature... the same to a lesser degree for a chair rated to 400lbs. Both of these chairs would fit the 1-5 % of the users that require them, but would exclude most other users. Would the Senate be willing to change the rated weight of the chairs?

Answer 1:

For Section A seating must rate up to 300lbs

For Section B seating must rate up to 350lbs
