Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2012-13 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: Cross Question No: 257

Topic: Staffing

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Senator Boyce asked:

This financial year to date, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

Answer:

This financial year to 30 September 2012 the Department has employed 45 employees on non-ongoing contract.

The average length of their employment period is 6.41 months (this takes account of contracts that will extend past 30 September 2012).