

**Senate Standing Committee on Economics**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Treasury Portfolio**

Additional Estimates

13 – 14 February 2013

**Question: AET 688-694**

**Topic: Staffing (PC)**

**Written: Received from Committee – 22 February 2013**

**Senator BUSHBY asked:**

688. How many ongoing staff have been recruited this financial year to date(22 February 2013)? What classification are they?
689. How many non-ongoing positions exist or have been created this financial year to date (22 February 2013)? What classification are they?
690. This financial year to date (22 February 2013), how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?
691. How many ongoing staff left the department/agency this financial year to date(22 February 2013)? What classification were they?
692. How many non-ongoing staff left the department/agency this financial year to date (22 February 2013)? What classification were they?
693. How many contract staff left the department/agency this financial year to date (22 February 2013)? What classification were they?
694. Are there any plans for staff reduction? If so, please advise details including if there is a reduction target, how this will be achieved, and if any services/programs will be cut.
- a. If there are plans for staff reductions, please give the reason(s) why these are happening

**Answer:**

688. Twelve (APS4 x 7; APS6 x 1; EL1 x 3; SESB3 x 1)
689. Nine (APS3 x 1; APS4 x 2; APS5 x 2; EL2 x 3; SESB2 x 1)
690. Nine, with an average period of employment of 5 weeks.
691. Two (EL1 x 2).
692. One (EL2).
693. Eight. (APS3 equivalent x 2; APS4 equivalent x 1; EL1 equivalent x 5).
694. No.