

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

17 October – 18 October 2012

Question: SBT 1521-1523

Topic: Paid Parental Leave - Treasury

Written: Received from Committee – 26 October 2012

Senator BUSHBY asked:

1521. Please list how many staff in each portfolio department and agency are eligible to receive payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme?
1522. For this financial year to date (26 October 2012) list which department/agency is providing its employees with payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme? Please list how many staff and their classification are in receipt of these payments.
1523. For 2011-12 which department/agency provided its employees with payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme? Please list how many staff and their classification are in receipt of these payments.

Answer:

1521. All employees with more than 12 months service who earn less than \$150,000 per annum and are the primary care giver of their child are eligible to receive payment under the Government's Paid Parental Leave Scheme. As eligibility is based on primary caring responsibility, the number of staff cannot be identified.
1522. These figures represent Treasury staff.

Classification	Total Staff
APS3	1
APS4	1
APS5	1
APS6	2
EL1	8
EL2	5
Total	18

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Classification	Total Staff
APS4	1
APS5	1
APS6	2
EL1	8
EL2	10
Total	22