SENATE

QUESTION

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SENATOR KITCHING asked the Minister representing the Minister for Government Services, upon notice, on 19 February 2021—

Could a composition of Taskforce Integrity be provided, including a breakdown of Services Australia and Australian Federal Police personnel. Please include Australian Public Service level, position titles and Curriculum Vitae's for each senior executive officer.

Answer

Senator Ruston – The Minister for Government Services, the Hon Stuart Robert MP, has provided the following answer to the honourable Senator's question:

As at 31 January 2021, approximately 62 Services Australia Full Time Equivalent staff were working on Taskforce Integrity. This includes data analysts, intelligence officers, digital forensic officers, forensic accountants, investigators and specialist debt recovery officers. In addition, Taskforce Integrity includes eight embedded Australian Federal Police officers.

Services Australia Senior Executive Officers overseeing Taskforce Integrity operations include:

- Mr Anthony Seebach, SES Band 2, General Manager, Business Integrity Division; and
- Mr Danny McQuillen, Acting SES Band 1, Acting National Manager, Taskforce Integrity and Fraud Investigation Branch.

The Agency does not require its staff to provide up to date copies of their Curriculum Vitaes. The Agency is therefore unable to provide a copy of current Curriculum Vitaes.