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Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programs Question No: 125

Topic: Credit Cards

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Senator Ludwig asked:

Provide a breakdown for each employment classification that has a corporate credit card.

Answer:

Department of Social Services

As at 28 February 2014, the Department had 1,745 active credit cards (including travel and purchasing cards) issued to Departmental staff. Credit cards are issued to staff based on business needs, not classification level.

Classification	No of cards
Secretary	2
SES Band 3	10
SES Band 2	58
SES Band 1	147
Holder of Public Office	1
Committee Member	2
Executive Level 2 or equivalent	377
Executive Level 1 or equivalent	419
APS 6 or equivalent	312
APS 5	233
APS 4	160
APS 3	18
APS 2	6
Total	1,745

Note: The Department is currently transitioning the Indigenous Affairs portfolio to the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet and, therefore, the above figures include credit cards issued to Indigenous Affairs staff.

Social Security Appeals Tribunal

Classification	No. of cards
EL2	1
EL1	2
APS6	5
APS4	2
APS3	1
APS2	3
Total	14

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Australian Institute of Family Studies

Classification	No. of cards
Statutory Officer	1
SES	2
EL2	4
EL1	1
APS6	2
APS4	1
Total	11

National Disability Insurance Agency

Classification	No. of cards
Board Members	1
Chief Executive Officer	2
SES Band 2	10
SES Band 1	22
Executive Level 2	41
Executive Level 1	32
APS 6	8
APS 5	44
APS 4	28
APS 3	6
Total	194

Australian Aged Care Quality Agency

Classification	No. of Cards
Acting CEO	1
EL2	9
EL1	8
APS6	102
APS5	24
APS4	1
APS3	1
Total	146

Aged Care Pricing Commissioner

Classification	No. of Cards	
Pricing Commissioner	1	

Aged Care Commissioner

Classification	No. of Cards
APS5	1