

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

**Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017, 1 March 2017**

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**OUTCOME:** 3 - Sport and Recreation

**Topic:** Redundancies

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** Farrell, Don

**Question:**

Last month it was reported that there would be about 250 voluntary redundancies in the Department. Could any of those come from the Population Health and Sport Division? Could any come from the Office for Sport? If so, what positions might be lost?

**Answer:**

All non-SES staff in the Department of Health were eligible to apply for the voluntary redundancies, including Population Health and Sport Division.

The outcome of the process will not be finalised until later in the financial year.