

Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

BUDGET ESTIMATES – 5-6 JUNE 2014 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Human Services

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Question:

Senator CAMERON: What is the longest continuous fixed-term, non-ongoing tenure that the department has offered and that an employee has accepted?

Ms Campbell: Since September?

Senator CAMERON: Yes, do that from September.

Ms Campbell: I think we can probably do that.

Senator CAMERON: How far back in the estimates can you do this in a reasonable manner?

Ms Campbell: I think September would be a reasonable period for us to be able to get that information to you by 8.30 tomorrow morning.

Senator CAMERON: And then we might look, on notice, to go back further.

Ms Campbell: You might want to put some questions on notice.

Answer:

Two years.