Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

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

Department of Human Services

Topic: Staffing – Demographics – 30 June 2013

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Question:

How many people did your department/agency employ as of 30 June 2013? Please provide a breakdown of this figure based on the following variables:

- a) State and Territory.
- b) Age.
- c) Gender.
- d) APS level classification.
- e) Contract type (ongoing or non-ongoing).

Answer:

a) The total number of employees in the Department of Human Services by State/Territory as at 30 June 2013 is outlined below.

State	Total Headcount
ACT	5,165
NSW	9,373
QLD	6,529
SA / NT	3,659
TAS	1,953
VIC	6,836
WA	2,323
Total	35,838

b) The total number of employees in the Department of Human Services by age group as at 30 June 2013 is outlined below.

Age Grouping	Total Headcount
15-24	1,401
25-34	7,953
35-44	11,089
45-54	10,195
55-64	4,890
65+	310

c) Female – 25,692

Male – 10,146

d) The total number of employees in the Department of Human Services by APS classification as at 30 June 2013 is outlined below.

Substantive APS Classification	Total Headcount
Other (Trainees/Graduates / Cadets)	212
APS1	236
APS2	458
APS3	5,534
APS4	15,812
APS5	3,778
APS6	5,761
Executive Level 1	2,822
Executive Level 2	1,045
SES	180

e) Ongoing – 33,868

Non-ongoing – 1,970