

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

Additional Estimates Hearings February 2014

Communications Portfolio

NBN Co Limited

Question No: 116

Program No. NBN Co Limited

Hansard Ref: In Writing

Topic: Staffing recruitment

Senator Ludwig asked:

1. How many ongoing staff recruited from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date? What classification are these staff?
2. How many non-ongoing positions exist or have been created from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date? What classification are these staff?
3. From Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

Answer:

1. 57 ongoing staff have been recruited from 20 November 2013 to 25 February 2014. These staff were classified as permanent employees.
2. 79 non-ongoing staff were employed during the period of 20 November 2013 to 25 February 2014. There were an additional seven vacant non-ongoing positions that existed during the period of 20 November 2013 to 25 February 2014.
3. 66 staff were employed on contract during the period of 20 November 2013 to 25 February 2014. The average contracted length of service is eight months.