

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

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Communications Portfolio

NBN Co Limited

Question No: 313

Program No. NBN Co Limited

Hansard Ref: In Writing

Topic: Staff transfers

Senator Ludwig asked:

1. How many people does your Department/Agency employ?
2. What is the number of staff employed in each state and Territory as at 30 June 2013, and what is their age, gender and classification level?
3. What is the number of staff currently employed in each state and territory, and what is their age, gender and classification level?
4. What functions have been transferred between transferred from one state or territory to another since the federal election in 2013?
5. Can you please provide details by function of the, number of staff employed, the age, gender and classification of staff employed in the function that was transferred, where it was based prior to the transfer and where it was transferred to?
6. How many of these people are employed in Canberra?
7. How many people did your Department/Agency employ in Canberra immediately prior to the 2013 federal election?
8. How many employees have been transferred out of Canberra since the 2013
9. How many of your employees have been transferred to Canberra since the 2013 federal election?
10. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide their age.
11. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide their wage. Please provide the figure for before their transfer and after their transfer.
12. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide their gender.
13. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide the area of the Department they worked in. Please provide this detail for before their transfer and after their transfer.
14. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide a description of their position. Please provide this detail for before their transfer and after their transfer.
15. For every transferred employee please provide an explanation for their transfer?
16. For every transferred employee please provide any other cost incurred by the Department because of that transfer? Please provide all relevant dates.

Answer:

1. 2,915 staff were employed at NBN Co as at 31 May 2014.
2. 2,934 staff were employed at NBN Co as at 30 June 2013.

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3. As per below :

STATE / TERRITORY	Number of Staff
ACT	12
NSW	1269
NT	23
QLD	215
SA	89
VIC	1179
TAS	43
WA	104

AGE	Number of Staff
15 – 24	59
25 – 34	892
35 – 44	1067
45 – 54	651
55 – 64	222
65+	7

*Age details are not captured for some labour hire and contract staff

GENDER	Number of Staff
Female	855
Male	2079

CLASSIFICATION	Number of Staff
Ongoing	2809
Non-ongoing	66
Contract Staff	59

At the 31 May 2014 the number of staff was broken down as follows:

STATE / TERRITORY	Number of Staff
ACT	12
NSW	1259
NT	24
QLD	217
SA	94
VIC	1164
TAS	43
WA	102

AGE	Number of Staff
15 – 24	33
25 – 34	829
35 – 44	1099
45 – 54	677
55 – 64	237
65+	14

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GENDER	Number of Staff
Female	847
Male	2068

CLASSIFICATION	Number of Staff
Ongoing	2797
Non-ongoing	68
Contract Staff	50

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No functions have been transferred from one state or territory to another between 7 September 2013 and 31 May 2014.

7. There were 15 employees in Canberra immediately prior to 7 September 2013.

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No employees have been transferred out of Canberra between 7 September 2013 and 31 May 2014.

15. No functions have been transferred from one state or territory to another between 7 September 2013 and 31 May 2014.

16. No functions have been transferred from one state or territory to another between 7 September 2013 and 31 May 2014.