

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications**

**Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice**

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**Communications Portfolio**

**Australian Broadcasting Corporation**

**Question No: 39**

**Program No. Australian Broadcasting Corporation**

**Hansard Ref: In Writing**

**Topic: Contract Extensions**

**Senator Lundy asked:**

1. Since 18 September 2013 how many non-ongoing contracts have expired without extension?
2. For every non-ongoing contract that has expired without extension please provide the following details:
  - a. The employee's age.
  - b. Their gender.
  - c. A description of their position.
  - d. Their wage.
  - e. Their position's APS level classification.
  - f. Where they were located.
  - g. Their length of continuous employment at the APS.
  - h. The reason why the extension was not sought for their position.
  - i. Please provide all relevant dates.

**Answer:**

1. Since 18 September 2013 to end financial year 2014, a total of 294 non-ongoing contracts have expired without extension.

2.

a. Expired non-ongoing contracts by Age.

Age Group	Total
<=20	2
21-30	99
31-40	97
41-50	60
51-60	28
>=61	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>294</b>

b. Expired non-ongoing contracts by Gender

Age Group	Female	Male	Total
<b>Total</b>	190	104	<b>294</b>

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- e. The ABC does not use APS classifications. Expired non-ongoing ABC contracts by Classification and Level are as follows:\*

<b>Classification</b>	<b>Headcount</b>
Admin/Professional Band 1	2
Admin/Professional Band 2	3
Admin/Professional Band 3	12
Admin/Professional Band 4	21
Admin/Professional Band 5	11
Admin/Professional Band 6	6
Admin/Professional Band 7	4
Admin/Professional Band 8	4
Admin/Professional Band 9	1
Content Maker Band 1	1
Content Maker Band 2	5
Content Maker Band 3	23
Content Maker Band 4	52
Content Maker Band 5	49

<b>Classification</b>	<b>Headcount</b>
Content Maker Band 6	36
Content Maker Band 7	22
Content Maker Band 8	10
Content Maker Band 9	3
Senior Executive Level 1	7
Senior Executive Level 2	1
Senior Executive Level 3	2
Technologist Band 1	2
Technologist Band 4	2
Technologist Band 5	1
Technologist Band 6	1
Technologist Band 7	5
Technologist Band 8	4
Technologist Band 9	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>294</b>

- f. Expired non-ongoing contracts by Location

<b>Location</b>	<b>Headcount</b>
ACT	4
NSW	186
NT	9
O/S	3
QLD	10
SA	11
TAS	3
VIC	64
WA	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>294</b>

2.c, d, g, h and i. To attempt to provide this level of detail would involve an unreasonable diversion of resources.