

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee**
Answers to questions on notice
Environment portfolio

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Senator Urquhart asked:

How many staff were working in the Commonwealth Marine Reserves Branch in December last year? Since then, how many staff have taken voluntary redundancies, and at what level?

Answer:

At 30 December 2013, there were 45.8 full time equivalent staff working in the Commonwealth Marine Reserves Branch (excluding staff on extended leave or temporary transfer).

Between 30 December 2013 and 29 October 2014, seven staff in the Commonwealth Marine Reserves Branch and the Commonwealth Marine Reserves Taskforce have taken voluntary redundancies - 1 at APS4 level; 3 at APS6 level and 3 at Executive Level 1.