

Senate Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Budget Estimates

2014 - 2015

Department/Agency: IGT

Question: BET 452-455

Topic: Non-Australian Citizens Employed by the Department/Agency

Reference: written - 17 June 2015

Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

452. What is the Department/Agency's policy with regard to hiring non-Australian citizens?
453. Does the agency have a Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) policy? If yes, please provide a summary.
454. How does the Department/Agency determine whether a person is a non-Australian citizen?
455. How many staff who were not Australian Citizens have been hired by the Department/Agency since the Federal Election in September, 2013? Please break the numbers down by:
 - a) Levels at which they are employed
 - b) Immigration Status (Visa)
 - c) Cultural Background
 - d) Linguistic Background
 - e) How many were hired to satisfy CALD targets?

Answer:

452. The agency's policy with regard to hiring non-Australian citizens is as per the *Public Service Act 1999* requirements.
453. Refer to page 34 of the agency's 2013-14 annual report which is accessible via: http://igt.gov.au/files/2014/12/IGT_Annual_Report_2013-14.pdf
454. The agency determines a person's citizenship through the Australian Government Security Vetting Agency's security clearance process.
455. None.