

Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: Commonwealth Scientific & Industrial Research Organisation

TOPIC: CSIRO Redundancies

REFERENCE: Question on Notice (Hansard, 23 October 2014, page 18)

QUESTION No.: SI-6

Senator KIM CARR: Thank you. Can you give me a full breakdown of the redundancies that have been announced or implemented since the 2014-15 budget night for each CSIRO location; are you able to take that on notice?

Dr Clark: Yes.

Senator KIM CARR: Also could you indicate to me what the remaining staffing allocations at each CSIRO site are in terms of the headcount numbers as per the previous answer you have given me on B1-196.

Dr Clark: Yes; we will provide you with an update of that question on notice.

ANSWER

On 14 May 2014 the Chief Executive announced that based on the new budget position and taking into account the economic environment for our industry and external partners, CSIRO needed to reduce the number of staff in CSIRO by up to 420 FTE by the end of June 2015. Since 1 July 2014 to the end of October 2014, 222 people have left or are in the process of leaving the organisation through redundancy.

A breakdown of staffing reductions by site up to 31 October 2014 is included below:

Site	Number of staff who have left or in the process of leaving through redundancy (Headcount)
Acton	7
Adelaide K. Ave	3
Adelaide SAHMRI	2
Alice Springs	2
Armidale	1
Aspendale	8
Atherton	2
Black Mountain	24
Clayton	15
Clayton North	4
Darwin	2
Dutton Park	6
Floreat	6
Geelong	8
Gerldtn Onslow	1

Gympie	1
Herston - RBWH	4
Hihett	13
Hobart	18
Kensington	11
Lucas Heights	3
Marsfield	7
Newcastle	6
North Ryde	23
Parkes	2
Parkville	3
Pullenvale	11
Sandy Bay	3
St. Lucia	4
TownsvilleATSIP	4
Waite Campus	9
Waterford	6
Werribee Snyderd	3
Grand Total	222

Current staff numbers by site as at 31 October 2014 is included below:

CSIRO employees by Site	HC at 31/10/14	ASL (1/7/14 - 31/10/14)
Acton	60	60.5
Adelaide	108	89.5
Alice Springs	10	9.4
Armidale	32	30.9
Aspendale	110	107.5
Atherton	10	9.3
Ayr	3	1.8
Black Mountain	740	695.8
Bribie Island	9	8.6
Brisbane	1	1.0
Cairns	9	9.0
Campbell	194	175.0
Clayton	751	732.4
Collingwood	54	45.2
Coopers Plains	13	13.0
Crace	4	4.0
Dalby	4	1.0
Darwin	17	15.3
Docklands	12	10.4
Dutton Park	242	221.6
Floreat	186	172.5

Gatton	8	5.3
Geelong AAHL	238	226.3
Geelong Belmont	1	1.0
Geelong WP	62	56.0
Geraldton	10	10.6
Ginninderra	6	6.0
Griffith	10	8.7
Herston	35	36.0
Highett	105	97.4
Hindmarsh	1	0.5
Hobart	294	278.6
Irymple	3	2.3
Kensington	195	190.3
Lindfield	79	74.4
Lucas Heights	46	45.5
Marsfield	225	224.0
Myall Vale	62	55.0
Narrabri	27	23.7
Newcastle	127	114.0
North Ryde	283	252.6
Parkes	18	16.6
Parkville	81	72.6
Pullenvale	224	217.2
Sandy Bay	47	44.7
St. Lucia	112	107.3
Tidbinbilla	90	90.8
Toowoomba	17	14.3
Townsville	50	42.8
Waite Campus	212	203.2
Waterford	63	60.0
Werribee	80	77.2
Wodonga	6	6.7
Woodstock	3	3.0
Yarralumla	97	100.4
Grand Total	5486	5178.7