

## Senate Committee: Education and Employment

### QUESTION ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017

**Outcome: Agency: ACARA**

**Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000334**

Senator O'Neill, Deborah provided in writing

#### ***ACARA - Staffing changes***

##### **Question**

With regard to staffing levels, tabulated for Financial Years 13-14, 14-15, 15-16, 16-31 Oct 16, please provide the following:

- Ongoing appointments
- Fixed term contracts not continued
- Resignations
- Redundancies (voluntary and forced)
- The percentage of redundancies comprising past or present staff union delegates.

##### **Answer**

*The Australian Curriculum Assessment & Reporting Authority (ACARA) has provided the following response:*

ACARA has interpreted these questions as referring to activities in the given financial year, for example, ongoing appointments made in the financial year.

##### **2013/14**

Ongoing appointments	11
Fixed term contracts not continued	3
Resignations	19
Redundancies (voluntary)	0
Redundancies (forced)	5
Percentage of redundancies comprising past or present staff union delegates.	ACARA does not maintain records of union delegates

##### **2014/15**

Ongoing appointments	6
Fixed term contracts not continued	7
Resignations	14
Redundancies (voluntary)	0
Redundancies (forced)	20
Percentage of redundancies comprising past or present staff union delegates.	ACARA does not maintain records of union delegates

**2015/16**

Ongoing appointments	5
Fixed term contracts not continued	4
Resignations	15
Redundancies (voluntary)	0
Redundancies (forced)	0
Percentage of redundancies comprising past or present staff union delegates.	Not applicable

**2016/17 (to 31 December 2016)**

Ongoing appointments	4
Fixed term contracts not continued	7
Resignations	0
Redundancies (voluntary)	0
Redundancies (forced)	0
Percentage of redundancies comprising past or present staff union delegates.	Not applicable.