Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Budget Estimates 2016 - 2017

Cross Portfolio

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000769

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Question

Circumstances and costs of redundancies

Senator CAMERON: Can you provide details of the specific circumstances in relation to those five redundancies and whether those redundancies were proposed by the employee or the department?

Ms Leon: Yes.

Senator CAMERON: Do you have the cost of those redundancies?

Ms Kidd: No. We can take that on notice.

Answer

Five employees in the Department of Employment received voluntary redundancies between 1 July 2015 and 31 March 2016.

The gross redundancy payment for these totalled \$460,661.