

**Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
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**Department of Employment Question No. EM1574\_15**

**Senator Cameron asked on 23 October 2014 on proof Hansard page 5**

**Question**

**Position/structure changes in the Department**

Ms Leon: There has not been any significant restructure or change to numbers, but I would have to check during the day and get back to you as to whether there have been any other movements within the SES from one position to another. Senator CAMERON: I have not had the chance to look, but has your organisational chart been changed to reflect these changes? Ms Leon: Yes. Senator CAMERON: Could you on notice provide us any details of other changes that the minister may not have indicated this morning. Ms Leon: Yes. Senator CAMERON: Is there any senior executive positions unfilled? Ms Leon: There are some positions that have acting personnel in them. Senator CAMERON: How many? Ms Leon: I can get that to you in the next break. I don't want to keep you waiting while I count them. It is only a small number.

**Answer**

There has been one move within the Departments Senior Executive Service since the previous hearing, with six roles filled in an acting capacity.

There is currently one unfilled Band 1 position, the Australian Representative to the International Labour Organisation. This position has been advertised and is presently subject to a merit selection process.