

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
—Additional Estimates Hearing—February 2015**

Answers to Questions on Notice

Parliamentary departments, Department of Parliamentary Services

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Senator WONG: Ms Croke, I think you said six voluntary and one involuntary. Since when?

Ms Croke: Since 1 July 2014 up until 30 January 2015.

Senator WONG: How many were made redundant between September 2013 and July 2014?

Ms Croke: I have numbers for the full 2013-14 financial year.

Senator WONG: Which is?

Ms Croke: A total of 24 staff had voluntary redundancies in that period.

Senator WONG: Could you on notice break that down further?

Ms Croke: Yes.

Answer

For the 2013-14 year there were:

- 18 voluntary redundancies from 1 September 2013 to 30 June 2014. There was one offer of voluntary redundancy made during 2012-13 that was declined and the employee served a retention period ceasing employment in January 2014.
- 6 voluntary redundancies from 1 July 2013 to 30 August 2013.