

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Outcome/Program: Cross Portfolio

Topic: Transfers

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Question:

1. How many people does your department/agency currently employ? Please provide a breakdown of this figure based on the following:
 - a. State and Territory.
 - b. Age.
 - c. Gender.
 - d. APS level classification.
 - e. Contract type (ongoing or non-ongoing).
2. How many people did your department/agency employ as of 30 June 2013? Please provide a breakdown of this figure based on the following variables:
 - a. State and Territory.
 - b. Age.
 - c. Gender.
 - d. APS level classification.
 - e. Contract type (ongoing or non-ongoing).
3. How many people did your department/agency employ as of 18 September 2013? Please provide a breakdown of this figure based on the following:
 - a. State and Territory.
 - b. Age.
 - c. Gender.
 - d. APS level classification.
 - e. Contract type (ongoing or non-ongoing).
4. Since 18 September 2013, what department/agency functions have been transferred from one state or territory to another?
5. For all functions transferred, can you please provide figures for the following:
 - a. Number of staff employed before and after the transfer,
 - b. Where the function was based before and after the transfer.
6. For each employee transferred please provide the followings:
 - a. Their age.

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- b. Their gender.
- c. Their APS classification.
- d. The wage of the employee before and after the transfer.
- e. The area of the department/agency they worked in before and after their transfer.
- f. A description of their position before and after the transfer.
- g. The dates of their transfer.
- h. An explanation for why the employee was transferred.
- i. Whether they were transferred to or from Canberra.
- j. Any costs incurred by the department/agency due to this transfer.

Answer:

- 1. As at 30 May 2014, the Australian Public Service Commission employed 240 people (excluding irregular/intermittent employees).

- a. Employees by location:

Location	Total
ACT	218
NSW	11
QLD	6
VIC	4
WA	1

- b. Employees by age group:

Age Group	Total
20-29	32
30-39	74
40-49	64
50-59	62
60-69	8

- c. 71.25% of employees are female, 28.75% are male.

- d. Employees by classification:

Classification	Total
Cadet	1
Graduate	2
APS 1	2
APS 2	5
APS 3	0
APS 4	42
APS 5	15
APS 6	50
EL 1	73
EL 2	38
SES/SOH	12

- e. 92.08% of employees are ongoing, 7.92% are non-ongoing

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2. The Australian Public Service Commission employed 254 people (excluding irregular/intermittent employees) as of 30 June 2013.

- a. Employees by location:

Location	Total
ACT	230
NSW	14
QLD	5
VIC	4
WA	1

- b. Employees by age group:

Age Group	Total
20-29	44
30-39	69
40-49	66
50-59	63
60-69	12

- c. 71.65% of employees are female, 28.35% are male.

- d. Employees by classification:

Classification	Total
CADET	1
Graduate	2
APS 1	4
APS 2	3
APS 3	5
APS 4	38
APS 5	20
APS 6	50
APS5N	1
EL 1	78
EL 2	40
SES/SOH	12

- e. 89.76% of employees were ongoing, 10.24% were non-ongoing.

3. Data as at 18 September 2013 is not available, however the Australian Public Service Commission employed 254 people (excluding irregular/intermittent employees) as of 30 September 2013.

- a. Employees by location:

Location	Total
ACT	232
NSW	13
QLD	5
VIC	3
WA	1

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b. Employees by age group:

Age Group	Total
20-29	44
30-39	71
40-49	69
50-59	61
60-69	9

c. 70.47% of employees are female, 29.53% are male.

d. Employees by classification:

Classification	Total
CADET	1
Graduate	2
APS 1	2
APS 2	5
APS 4	44
APS 5	19
APS 6	52
APS5N	1
EL 1	79
EL 2	38
SES/SOH	11

e. 86.22% of employees were ongoing, 13.78% were non-ongoing.

4. Since 18 September 2013, no agency functions have been transferred.
5. Not applicable
6. Not applicable