Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

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Senator: Senator McAllister

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Question:

1. Please provide a breakdown of staffing levels as at 30 June 2016, nationally and for each state and territory, by the following categories:

- a) Full time equivalent (FTE)
- b) Head count
- c) Gender
- d) Ongoing
- e) non-ongoing, and
- f) classification level.

ONA Response:

a) The FTE at 30 June 2016 was 131.21 with all but the two liaison staff based in Canberra. We have one Liaison Officer based in London and the other in Washington.

b) Headcount at 30 June 2016 was 140.

	Employ	Sub-total	
Location #	Ongoing		
Canberra	131	7	138
Washington DC	1	-	1
London	1		1
Total	133	7	140

[#] Excludes locally engaged staff (who are employee by DFAT) - 1 in Washington and 1 in London.

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c-f) At 30 June 2016 there were 85 males and 55 females employed at ONA (excluding 2 locally engaged females who are employed by DFAT). Of these 133 were employed in an ongoing basis and 7 in a non-ongoing role. Please see below for a breakdown of classifications.

Workforce Gender profile (including casuals and inoperative staff)

Gender	Male			Female					
	Ongoing	Non- ongoing	Inoperative	Sub- total	Ongoing	Non- ongoing	Inoperative	Sub- total	Total
Director General	1	-	-	1	· -	-	-	0	1
SES Band 2	2	•		2	•			0	2
SES Band 1	8	-	-	8	3*	-	- ,	3*	11
EL2	28		2	30	6	1	1	8	38
EL1	21	-	3	24	14	1	1	16	40
APS6	10	1	1	12	17		3	20	32
AP\$5	3	1	-	4	2	1	-	3	7
APS4	2	2		4	5	•		5	9
Total	75	4	6	85	47	3	5	55	140

^{* 1} substantive SES and 2 acting SES

All staff with the exception of the 2 Liaison officers (both ongoing, male, EL2 classification) were based in Canberra.