

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES 2013

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Question:

1. How many ongoing staff recruited this financial year to date? What classification are these staff?
2. How many non ongoing positions exist or have been created this financial year to date? What classification are these staff?
3. This financial year to date, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

Answer:

1.

16 ongoing employees recruited to date for FY 2012-2013

- APS3 2
- APS4 1
- APS6 2
- EL1 6
- EL2 5

2.

Eight non ongoing employees have been engaged to date for FY 2012-2013

- APS2 1
- APS4 3
- EL1 4

3.

Three employees were engaged on contract during the financial year, with a further 9 employees on contracts that were ongoing at 1 July. The average length of the contracts for new engagements is 2 months.