# **Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**ANSWERS TO OUESTIONS ON NOTICE

## BUDGET ESTIMATES 2013-2014

### Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman

**Outcome/Program:** 1

**Topic:** Staffing

Senator: Ryan

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### **Question:**

- (1) How many ongoing staff left the department/agency this financial year to date? What classification were these staff?
- (2) How many non-ongoing staff left department/agency this financial year to date? What classification were these staff?
- (3) How many contract staff left department/agency in the year this financial year to date? What classification were these staff?

#### **Answer:**

- (1) 17 ongoing staff left the Office this financial year to 31 May 2013 as follows:
  - 5 x APS Level 4
  - 3 x APS Level 5
  - 3 x APS Level 6
  - 2 x Executive Level 1
  - 2 x Executive Level 2
  - 2 x SES Band 1
- (2) 17 non-ongoing employees have finished their contracts in the period this financial year to 31 May 2013 as follows:
  - 3 x APS Level 2
  - 9 x APS Level 3
  - 4 x APS Level 4
  - 1 x Executive Level 1
- (3) Nil.