

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

**PM&C Portfolio**

**Department/Agency:** National Mental Health Commission  
**Outcome/Program:** National Mental Health Commission  
**Topic:** Staffing

**Senator:** Senator Ryan

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**Question:**

How many staff reductions/voluntary redundancies have occurred this financial year to date?  
What was the reason for these reductions?

Were any of these reductions involuntary redundancies? If yes, provide details.

Are there any plans for further staff reductions/voluntary redundancies? If so, please advise details including if there is a reduction target, how this will be achieved, and if any services/programs will be cut.

If there are plans for staff reductions, please give the reason why these are happening.

Are there any plans for involuntary redundancies? If yes, provide details.

**Answer:**

None.