

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS  
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

**Program SPCG**

**Question No. 88**

**Senator Barnett asked the following question at the hearing on 25 May 2010:**

Since Additional Estimates:

- a. How many permanent staff have been recruited in the Department?
- b. What level are these staff?
- c. How many temporary positions exist or have been created?
- d. How many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

**The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:**

a) 59 ongoing employees have been engaged since Additional Estimates on 8 February 2010.

b)

<b>Classification</b>	<b>Count</b>
B1/2	1
APSL3	2
APSL4	8
B4-6	1
APSL5	6
B5-6	3
APSL6	7
EL1	13
EL2	4
LO	7
SLO	4
PLO	2
SESB2	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>59</b>

c) As at 1 June 2010, a total of 156 employees were engaged in a non-ongoing capacity by the Department.

d) 72 non-ongoing employees have been engaged since Additional Estimates on 8 February 2010. The average length of their employment periods is 99 days.